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## Fish and Game Assn. Banquet Attended by 280 From Area

The annual Fish and Game association banquet was held in the Pioneer Valley regional school dining room on Saturday evening. There were 280 attending, the large number being possible because of the new dining room facilities available at the school. The turkey dinner was served by Mrs. Stanley Wickey with helpers from the association. Special guests were Representative Philip F. Whitmore of Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McShane of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Lovely of Orange, McShane and Lovely are district game wardens. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prentice of Greenfield; Prentice is the instructor for the gun safety school held in this area; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Zak of Sunderland, who sell fish for stocking, and Robert Dolan of Greenfield, president of the

Franklin County Sportsman's league. These guests were introduced by Horace Field, club president, and spoke briefly. Over 200 door prizes were awarded which had been donated by business men and friends in the area.

Proceeds from the affair amounting to \$350 will be added to funds in the treasury to pay for the various activities of the club such as stocking local streams with fish and releasing pheasants for the fall hunting season.

The annual fishing contest for youngsters under 13 years of age ends Sunday, June 1. There are a few days left during which these young people can catch fish to be measured at the official stations and entered in the contest. Five prizes will be awarded for the largest rainbow, brown and brook trout entered.

## Rev. Arthur Green Named Candidate

Rev. Arthur Green of Northfield was named candidate for county commissioner for the Franklin county Prohibition party at a recent meeting held in Greenfield. Mrs. Fred Kohler, president of the Massachusetts Women's Temperance Union, conducted the meeting which elected a full slate of county and state candidates and local officers. Other candidates will be Mrs. Louise Wilson of Greenfield, congresswoman from the first congressional district; Rev. Matthew Maratea of Springfield, governors' councilor from the 8th congressional district, and Thomas Maratea, state senator from the Franklin-Hampshire district.

## Teachers Assn. Elects Officers

Officers of the Pioneer Valley Union Teachers association were elected at the meeting last week: Paul Seamans, principal of the Gill elementary school, president; Mrs. Thelma Yeager, English instructor at PVRS, vice president; Mrs. Effie Kornstadt, fifth grade teacher at the Bernardston elementary school, secretary; John Trumbull of the PVRS, treasurer.

All enjoyed a musical program with Wayne North of Greenfield, accordionist, Miss Lynn Smithers, Northfield kindergarten teacher, director, and Miss Nola Skillings, Northfield fifth grade teacher, accompanist. This was the final meeting of the school year.

The meeting was held at the Rockledge in Greenfield and arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Ruth Bolton, Mrs. Ruth Stebbins and Mrs. Helen Gorzocoski, teachers at the Northfield Center school.

### "KOOT CLUB"

Saturday morning at 10 o'clock there will be a food sale on the lawn at the True home in East Northfield sponsored by a club of young girls in that area who call themselves the "Koot Club."

### PVRS VS. MAHAR

June 3 the Pioneer Valley regional school baseball team will play the Mahar regional school of Oran here on the home field at 3:15 p.m.

## Community Club Plans for Summer

Community Club No. 4 of Northfield Farms at the last meeting of the season announced the following: June 25, public card party; June 28, family picnic and baseball game; July 19, food sale for the benefit of the annual children's Christmas party; October 8, first fall meeting, a mystery ride.

It was reported that the grounds and rooms of the building had been cleared and the ball field improved. The group voted to install a new toilet and procure a picnic table.

## Parsons To Graduate Cum Laude from UM

At the commencement exercises of the University of Massachusetts on Sunday Richard G. Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Parsons of Millers Falls, formerly of Northfield, will receive the bachelor of science degree in animal husbandry, cum laude. He is a member of Alpha Beta, the honors list and Phi Kappa Phi. He graduated from Northfield high school in 1954. Also graduating will be two sons of Rev. and Mrs. Lester P. White of Mount Hermon; Robert Francis and William B. to receive bachelor of arts in sociology. Both are graduates of Sigma Phi Epsilon. Aob-Mount Hermon school and mem-

ber was lacrosse co-captain and William on the Index staff.

## Mrs. Rachel Yukl Is Stockbridge Graduate

Graduating last week from the Stockbridge school of agriculture at the University of Massachusetts was Mrs. Rachel L. Yukl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Parsons of 4 Grand avenue, Millers Falls, former residents of Northfield Farms. Mrs. Yukl graduated from the Northfield high school with the class of 1956. At Stockbridge she majored in floriculture. She was chairman of judges assistants at the last horticulture show at the university, was on the dean's list and was a member of the Redman band, Newman club and Floriculture club and received an Ascension Farm scholarship.

An invitation was accepted to neighbor with Millers River Grange of Orange on June 14.

At the next meeting to be held



Miss Martha Bigelow who will attend the National Student Nurse's convention in Atlantic City in July.

## Miss M. Bigelow Named Delegate

Miss Martha Jane Bigelow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bigelow of Maule St., will represent the student body of the Springfield hospital at the annual National Student Nurses' convention at Atlantic City June 5 to 9.

A student at the Springfield hospital, Miss Bigelow was chosen by popular vote for this honor. She is secretary of the student council and completing her second year's training. She has been spending a month's vacation here with her parents and following the convention session will go to the Institute of Living at Hartford, Conn., for three months' affiliation in psychiatrics.

Miss Bigelow is a graduate of the Northfield high school, class of 1956.

## Nfld. Grange Holds Memorial Observance

Northfield Grange met Tuesday evening at the hall for the first June meeting. A memorial program was planned by Mrs. Bertha Rikert and Mrs. Ethel T. Shine. The program:

The Lord's Prayer and Twenty-Third Psalm by the Grange; duet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," Mrs. Isabel Carter and Mrs. Pearl Allen; songs, Nearer My God to Thee and In the Garden, by the Grange. Memorial day readings by Mrs. Rikert, Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Beryl Holloway; Bible reading by Mrs. Carter; song, Tenting Tonight, by the Grange; roll call of members telling of "What Memorial Day Means to Me."

The announcement was made of the youth degree work in Worcester Sunday when the Connecticut Valley Pomona Grange won the first prize for degree work. Taking part were Mrs. Marian Holbrook, Albert Allen, Jr., and David Shine of the local Grange youth committee.

An invitation was accepted to neighbor with Millers River Grange of Orange on June 14.

At the next meeting to be held June 10 Frank E. Nelson of Athol, steward of the Massachusetts State Grange, will be the guest speaker and the Granges of Hinsdale, Keene, Winchester and Vernon are invited.

### HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Northfield Historical society will meet at the Museum on Pine street Tuesday evening, June 3, at 7:30 p.m. There will be a cooperative forum and a quiz program, topic, "Northfield Historic Industries."

## Two Equipment Items Purchased By Regional School Committee

### Bible School Slated for July

Plans are being made for the Daily Vacation Bible school held each year in conjunction with the religious education conference on the campus of the Northfield School for Girls July 9 to 17.

Registration will be held Thursday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock and on Monday afternoon, June 2, at the same hours for all children who plan to attend. The kindergarten will take children who will be five years old by July 15 and there will be classes for children through junior high school age.

The fee will be \$1.50 for one child or \$1 each if more than one child in a family is registered.

This year in order that more children can be enrolled the Trinitarian Congregational church is assisting with expenses and staff assistants.

Mrs. Edward Vinton, Mrs. Alvin Scott and Rev. James Whyte of Mount Hermon will assist.

Religious education, recreation and handwork are planned for the young folk by the leaders of this annual conference.

### Board of Selectmen Schedule Hearing

The selectmen have called a hearing in regard to a petition for motor vehicle junk license, class 3, to be held at the town hall on Monday evening, June 2, at 8 o'clock. Raymond C. Waterman doing business as Waterman's Junk and Parts of Orange road. All who are interested should attend this public hearing.

## Trinitarian Church Building Committee Report Recommendations After Study

At a special business meeting of the Trinitarian Congregational church Monday evening the church building survey committee made its report after two years of study of the needs of the church and the church school to a group of 125 members and friends.

The report read by Edgar J. Livingston, chairman of the committee, of which the other members are Sallie R. Gillespie, Lillian G. Wells, Leonard R. Lanphear and A. Gordon Moody, was accepted by vote and thanks rendered to them. Rev. Joseph W. Reeves was a committee member, ex-officio, cl. 'ks, Hippf S meuz ex-officio.

Arland A. Dirlam, church architect of Boston, who has been working with the committee, assisted the chairman, Edgar J. Livingston, in presenting a summary of the committee's studies and recommendations. Copies of the report were distributed. Action of it, other than its formal acceptance, was deferred for two weeks when another special meeting will be held on the evening of June 9.

The report included estimates for a new sanctuary building with parish hall in the basement, of brick construction, at a cost of from \$170,800 to \$182,300. Cost of an adjoining new religious education building was estimated at \$121,900 to \$126,900. Because this total cost would be prohibitive at this time, the committee recommended building the sanctuary building first and taking the pres-

ent building for church school facilities until the new religious education unit might be built.

Various plans for remodeling the present structure were considered but the report listed a number of reasons for not recommending total renovation of the present facilities, whose cost is estimated at \$170,100, although this could be carried out in stages as money was available and avoid borrowing. Plans also were considered for building a new sanctuary and moving the present building to become a religious education building attached to it. Estimated remodeling costs involved, including lowering the roof, amounted to \$364,000 and this plan was rejected as too costly to be practical.

The report reviewed possible financing methods by which the present available funds of \$71,000 would be augmented by a hoped-for \$50,000 from fund raising campaigns and \$55,000 in loans from banks or other sources.

The new building would be located on the corner of the present lot with parking area and location of a future religious education building planned. The sanctuary would be on the first floor up only a few steps from the ground level and a parish hall and kitchen would be located in the basement.

The adjourned meeting on June 9 will be an important one for the future of the church and every member of the church should plan now to attend.

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## Church Notes

### TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

REV. JOSEPH W. REEVES, Minister

MRS. F. H. MOSSE, Director of Christian Education

IRVING J. LAWRENCE, Choir Director

MRS. ROBERT P. BARNES, Acting Organist

The Church school and Pilgrim Fellowship meetings have been concluded until Sunday, Sept. 7.

11 a.m., public worship. Sermon subject, "Seven Great Sayings." Pre-school age children attended for the entire hour. Beginning with the second hymn children of grades 1-4 supervised by students from the Northfield School for Girls.

7:45 p.m., senior choir rehearsal in the vestry.

Mrs. Mosse will be in the vestry Monday, 2-4 p.m., to register children of the parish for the Daily Vacation Bible school to be held in July.

The annual cradle roll party, Mrs. W. W. Sanderson, superintendent, will be held in the vestry on Wednesday at 3:30 p.m.

Church school picnic for all the families of the parish will be held at Laurel Park, Erving, on Saturday afternoon. Cars will leave the church at 2 o'clock.

The annual summer supper, served by Miss Sophie Servaes and her committee of Guild Women has been announced for Thursday, June 26.

### NORTHFIELD UNITARIAN CHURCH

REV. CHARLES D. MOORE, Minister

MRS. L. P. GOODSPED, Organist and Choir Director

RAY A. KNAPP, Church School Superintendent

9:45, Sunday morning worship. Sermon subject, "Islam."

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## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Editor, Northfield Press:

With reference to J. Austin Daly's letter to the editor published in your May 23rd edition, I would like to point out that although most of us will agree with the need for economy in all town affairs, I think we will also agree that Mr. Daly's choice of words was most unfortunate.

I cannot see how Mr. Daly, who spends the majority of his time in Florida can set himself up as an authority on "the type of men" we have filling any town position. Respectfully,

Horace F. Field

## 78 Have Perfect Attendance Record

At the annual Children's Sunday service at the Trinitarian Congregational church May 25 78 children from three years of age through grade 8 received pins for perfect attendance at the church school sessions.

Having seven years' perfect attendance were Carol Atwood, Carol Lombard and Nancy Schouler.

Sixth year pins were given Marcia Eastman, Sandra Holbrook, Gail Leonard, Jerry Scott and Linda Scott; fifth year pins, Caryn Black, Linda Lombard, Beverly Black, Nancy Hurlbut, Alane Black, Susan eLeonard, Scot Sanderson, Jeanne Shearer, Sally Atwood, Howard Maynard, Gretchen Hammond, Henry Prescott and Enid Maynard.

Others receiving perfect attendance pins were: Mary Ellen Eastman, Richard Holbrook, Sally Scott, Gary Smolen, Milford Atwood, Jr., Alice Lord, Jane Sanderson, Deborah Mayberry, Pauline Wood, Mary Hawley, Robert Schouler, Charles Payne, Dean Vinten, Ronald Tie, Jonathan Mayberry, David Pearsall and Raymond Wright, four years.

Christopher Gancarz, Julie Sanderson, William Payne, Richard Schepp, Loraine Tie, Elizabeth Payne, Dennis Holloway, Stephen True, Diane Walker, Marcia Stacy and Janice Fuller, three years.

Stephen Payne, Camilla Mayberry, Mary Hatheway, Joanne Mann, Rebecca True, George Hayes, Linda Holloway, James Anderson and Frederick Holton,

meeting.

Saturday, 1 p.m., special meeting of the new camp at the New England School of Theology at Lenox.

**NORTHFIELD BAPTIST**

REV. PAUL L. BUBAR, Pastor  
SAMUEL A. BISHOP, Organist

MRS. RICHARD NEIPP, Assistant Organist

MRS. RALPH PERRY, Pianist

10 a.m.—Sunday school, Mrs. William Messer, superintendent.

11 a.m.—Morning worship with sermon.

Nursery and junior church at same hour.

6:30 p.m.—Young People.

7, pre-evening service prayer.

7:30, evening evangelistic hour.

Monday, 7:30 p.m., Bible class at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Rogers. A Moody Bible Institute course will be taught by Lee Canedy of Athol.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m., "Hour of Power."

### CATHEDRAL OF THE PINES

May 30—3 p.m., annual memorial service for all American dead. June 1—11 a.m., first parish in Medford, Rev. Charles A. Engvall officiating and choir.

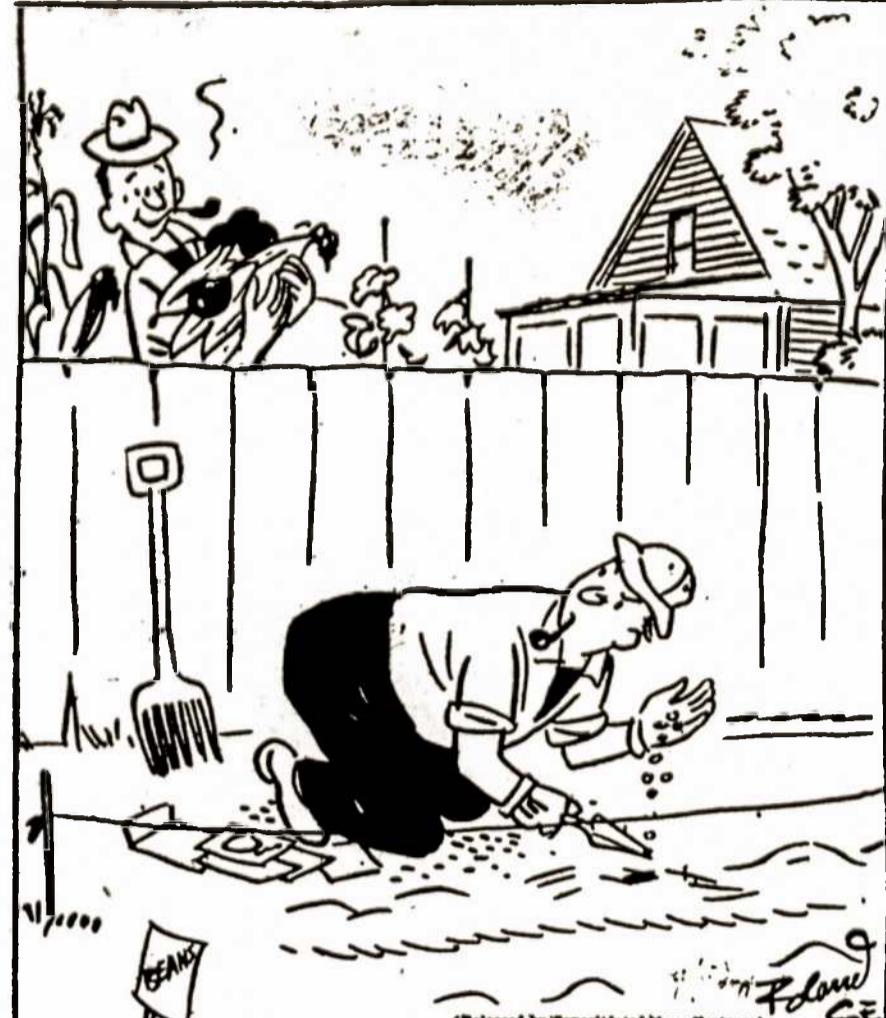
1:30 p.m., special youth service, Beth El Temple Center, Belmont, Rabbi Earl A. Grossman officiating.

4 p.m., annual Episcopal service, the Rt. Rev. Charles F. Hall, D.D., bishop of the diocese of New Hampshire and clergy. Combined choirs.

7 p.m., Phi Kappa Delta society installation.

## CROSSTOWN

By Roland Coe



"Just gettin' yours planted, eh?"

## Obituary

### Mrs. Mildred F. Rineer

Mrs. Mildred (Friscom) Rineer, 43, died on May 25 in Franklin county public hospital, Greenfield. She was the wife of William R. Rineer of the science department of Mount Hermon school, where he also is head coach of football and baseball.

Mrs. Rineer was born Dec. 15,

two years.

Nancy Cook, Thomas Sanderson, Robert Trumbull, Andrea Gancarz, Timothy Goodwin, Charles Cook, Susan Barber, Carol Thompson, Kathryn Goodwin, Susan McCollister, Daniel Goodwin, Jane Abbott, Jean Thompson, Christopher Sheldon, Paula Smith, William Sook, David Sargent, Peter Sargent, Carol Waaser and Frederick Walbridge, one year.

Receiving certificates of promotion from kindergarten to the primary department were Bryant Deane, Christopher Gancarz, Donald Martin, Kerry McCollester, Stephen Payne, Julie Sanderson, Laura Stacy and Earl Taylor.

Bibles were presented to children promoted from the primary to the junior department: Susan Barber, Mary and Melinde Hathaway, Marlene Leach, Linda Lombard, Diane Livernoise, Alice Lord, Joanne Mann, Brian Rice, Jane Sanderson, Carol Thompson and Rebecca True.

Receiving certificates of promotion from junior to intermediate department were Jane Abbott, James Anderson, Marcia Eastman, David Holton, Howard Maynard, Charles Payne, Christopher Sheldon, Paula Smith, Marcia Stacy, Ronald Tie, Jean Thompson and Dean Vinten.

1914, in Medford, N. J., daughter of William C. and Hannah (Adams) Griscom. Besides her parents and husband, she leaves two sons, Richard and Robert, both at home, and a brother, Elmer of Greenwich, Conn.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 in the Mount Hermon chapel with Dr. Howard L. Rubendall, president of the Northfield schools, officiating. Committal services were held on Thursday afternoon at 3 in the Hicksite Friends cemetery in Medford. Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Kidder funeral home.

### Walter Clark Fisher

Walter Clark Fisher, 68, of Warwick avenue died Monday at the Farren Memorial hospital.

He was born in Northfield Sept. 13, 1889, the son of Charles A. and Susie (Reed) Fisher. He was a passenger conductor on the Boston and Maine railroad for 38 years, serving on the Springfield to Keene run for 28 years. He was a member of Harmony Lodge of Masons and the Railroad Brotherhood.

Surviving are brothers-in-law and a sister-in-law, A. Clyde Cummings of Greenfield, Donald W. Cummings of Worcester, Cecil Cummings of Springfield and Emily Cummings Miller of Ormond Beach, Fla., and several nieces. Services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. at Kidder's Funeral home with Rev. Charles Moore officiating and burial was at the Center cemetery with the committal service conducted by Harmony Lodge of Masons.

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# Social and Personal News Notes of the Northfield Area

Mr. and Mrs. Lester S. Gray are spending the month of May in their apartment in the house owned by Harold Breismaster in East Northfield. They will leave in June but will return in July to stay here until November. Their twin daughters, Dorothy and Lorraine of New York, often spend weekends here with their parents.

The Franklin County Northfield club held its annual picnic meeting Saturday at the home of Mrs. Frank Ashby in Greenfield. Mrs. David Burnham, president, spoke on "The Admissions Picture at Northfield Today." Elected for the next two years were Mrs. Clifford Field, treasurer, and Mrs. Ona Briggs, secretary, both of East Northfield. Mrs. George Berry assisted Mrs. Ashby in serving a dessert.

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Miss Martha Schouler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Schouler of Wanamaker road, who will graduate from the Northfield School for Girls on June 8, has been accepted at Earlham college in Richmond, Indiana.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mankowsky of East street at the Farren Memorial hospital May 23; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mankowsky of Northfield.

Third grade Brownies closed their season's meetings Saturday with a cookout at the home of their leader, Mrs. Ralph Livernoise of Winchester road. Mrs. Winthrop Sanderson, Mrs. Julian Barber, Mrs. Harold Lord and Mrs. Charles White assisted.

Dr. and Mrs. Howard L. Rubendall of Mount Hermon have announced the engagement of their daughter, Linda Dennett Rubendall, to Richard Vair Shankin, 3rd son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Shankin, Jr., of Panama City, Fla. Miss Rubendall graduated from the Northfield School for Girls in 1956 and is a sophomore at Duke university.

Mrs. Lura Stone, Mrs. Pearl Allen and Mrs. Sarah Spindler of the American Legion auxiliary are in charge of the annual sale of poppies made by disabled veterans at the veterans' hospitals. These poppies are purchased from the veterans themselves and any profit goes to the auxiliary's rehabilitation work. There has been a house to house sale but if anyone wishes to make a contribution he can give it to one of these sales ladies.

Miss Janet Dean is spending a week in Indianapolis as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Mace. While there she plans to attend the speed races.

Mrs. Eugene Miller of Warwick avenue is convalescing at her home after a brief stay at the Franklin County public hospital. Her mother, Mrs. Pearl Allen, has been assisting at the Miller home.

Folks from Northfield Farms, members of Community Club No. 4 and the Ladies' Benevolent society gave a housewarming party for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams at their home on East street last week. A gift was presented to them. Refreshments were prepared and served at the next door home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams.

Mrs. Lillian Allen and daughter, Laurie Jane, returned last week from Florida where they spent the winter. They are visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Linden avenue before going to her home in Greenfield.



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hiller were recently honored at a dinner party by Mrs. Hiller's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Shippee of Shelburne Falls, to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Robert L. Wood of Main street attended the 45th annual congress, National Society of New England Women, last week Monday through Thursday, in Lenox. Mrs. Wood has transferred from the Monrovia colony in California, to the Green Mountains Colony of Women from New York, Vermont and Massachusetts. She is a former vice president general of the Pacific coast representing colonies from Portland, Ore., to San Diego.

Rev. Paul Bubar conducted his farewell services at the Northfield Baptist church last Sunday to capacity audiences both morning and evening. He also spoke at the young people's meeting. There was special music at all services. Rev. Bubar left immediately after the services for Colorado but will return to Northfield and a farewell reception is being planned for June 5. He will go to Florida to take up his new position with Christian Enterprises, Inc., of Orlando.

The Western Massachusetts Fire Wardens association met at the town hall Monday evening. Following a dinner served by the Good Neighbors society of the Advent Christian church John W. Haigis, Jr., of Greenfield spoke on The Story of Old Deerfield. Special prize awards went to Jim Shea of South Hadley and Floyd M. Dunnell of Northfield.

## Mens Club Elects Officers

At the meeting of the Men's club of the Unitarian church held recently, the following officers were elected: Francis B. Reed, president; Ray Knapp, vice president, and Clarence Spaulding, secretary and treasurer. The group will not meet again until fall.

## Party Time Is Here Again!



It's the month for parties . . . showers for the June bride or "get-togethers" for the graduate. Both happy events in the lives of those to be "feted". What could be a nicer way to celebrate the occasion than a colorful buffet luncheon. Make it a gay affair!

Plan a menu that's fancy enough to be festive, yet simple to prepare.

Canned chicken a la king . . . tender chunks of chicken in a smooth creamy sauce . . . combined with diced cooked ham and served in crispy toast cups makes a perfect entree. It's so easy, yet has such party airs!

Buttered asparagus spears are an added treat for this special luncheon. To bring extra "honors" to you . . . arrange an attractive relish tray . . . peach halves filled with cream cheese and walnuts, spicy crab apples and wedges of avocado.

### SPECIAL OCCASION LUNCHEON

*Chicken and Ham A La King  
Buttered Asparagus Spears  
Relish Tray  
Raspberry Sherbet Fancy Cookies  
Iced Tea*

Chicken and Ham a la King  
2 cans (10½ ounces) chicken  
a la king  
½ cup diced cooked ham  
¼ cup water  
Heat chicken a la king as directed on can. Add ham and water; stirring occasionally. Pour over hot biscuits or into toast cups. Makes 4 to 6 servings.



By Don Barrowbridge, Director  
Thor Research Center  
for Better Farm Living

The poor finish and dilapidated appearance of old furniture can be misleading. Under that marred finish may be an expensive wood and solid construction.

With the aid of your electric sander or the sanding attachments of an electric drill or polisher, you can bring such furniture "back alive" at a cost far less than that of new furniture.

Depending upon the furniture you're refinishing, you may have to remove hardware—such as hinges, locks, and knobs.

Remove the finish by brushing on paint remover or varnish remover. Do this work outdoors or in a well-ventilated room. Using a putty knife, scrape off the old finish.

Many paint removers leave a waxy film. You can wipe this away with turpentine or benzene.



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Before applying a finish of your choice, clean up all sanding dust from furniture and floor. Your job would be ruined if it fell on the wet finish.

Depending on the wood and the type of finish you apply, your electric sander will be of great service for sanding between coats of shellac or lacquer. Wax can be buffed on effortlessly after the final coat with the buffing attachments of the sander, drill, or polishing tool.

(Questions from readers about do-it-yourself problems or projects are welcomed. Send them to Thor Research Center, Marengo, Ill. They will be answered in these columns or by letter.)

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## Delegates Attend Bible Conference

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur J. Green, Mrs. Homer Browning, Miss June Browning, Mrs. Grace Cornell, William Slate and Mrs. Charles White attended the Connecticut Valley Bible conference at the West Swanzey Community church last week. Rev. Marshal E. Davis of Pakistan International Missions, Inc., spoke on "God's Program for Us" and Rev. John Den Bleyker, pastor of the West Brattleboro Baptist church, spoke on "A Million Dollar Formula for the Peace of God."

The June meeting will be held at the Colrain Baptist church.

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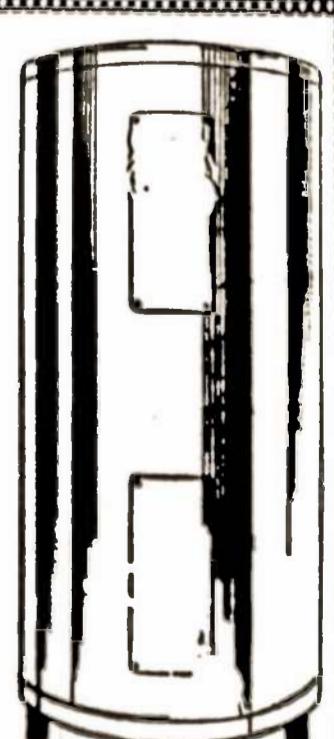
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## Pioneer Regional High News

If you are the type who likes peace and quiet, I suggest that you keep far away from Pioneer Valley regional school these last few weeks because our school is not the most relaxing place to be with sports, senior activities and those terrible final exams creeping up on us.

The student council has finally been well organized and weekly meetings will be held until the close of school. Last week on Thursday the council met and discussed the possibility of purchasing sweaters and sweatshirts with the school seal on them to be sold in the fall. A salesman came and showed us what he had to offer but more company representatives will be interviewed before a final decision is made. A plaque has been ordered for the name of the winner of the intra-mural cross country race which was held last week.

Tuesday of this week another meeting was held and it was decided to buy book covers to sell in September. A committee was appointed to look into purchasing letters for sports awards and they were to find out from the coaches who will be eligible for these awards.

Wednesday, May 21, a two mile intermural cross country race was held at the school. There were

fifteen participants and Lewis Starkey was the winner in eleven minutes. Fred Fuller came in second in eleven minutes and five seconds. Harry White came in third in twelve minutes and ten seconds.

Our boys have engaged in several baseball games this past week. Monday our varsity played Frontier High school and lost by a score of five to one. Tuesday the varsity played Arms J. V., winning with a score of 22 to 13.

Monday the J. V. played Turners Falls freshmen. The score was 6 to 5 in our favor.

Next week is to be a very exciting one in our program of sports. Monday, June 2, we will play Arms J. V. at Arms, Tuesday a home game with Mahar at the Northfield high school field.

Tuesday the girls' softball team traveled to Greenfield high and was defeated by the Greenfield girls. The score of this game was 12 to 4. So far the team has played four games and is looking forward to the two remaining to be played.

Monday the Pioneer chapter of the F.F.A. initiated fourteen members to the "green hand" degree in Future Farmers of America. This is the first of four degrees. The green hand and chapter farmer degrees are conducted by the local chapters of the organization. State and star farmer degrees are state and national presentations.

Twenty-six members of Mrs. Yeager's senior English class visited the Chateau in Northfield Wednesday afternoon. In recent weeks the class has been studying the literature of the Norman period and the trip to the Chateau was very helpful in providing deeper understanding of life in the times of castles. A guide from the Northfield hotel showed the group around and the following people provided transportation: David Streeter, Gaylord Gray, Alice Wilkins, David Billings and Mrs. Yeager.

Saturday, May 24, about forty members of our senior high glee club band went to Easthampton for the annual Western Massachusetts Music Festival. The students were transported by the buses of William Shores of Bernardston and Glen Matthews of Warwick with Mrs. Wendell Streeter and Mrs. George Leonard to keep the gala groups in rein. They set out at 9 o'clock from the school for a long day of festivities which ended when we arrived home about 6:30 in the evening. With Miss Dorothy Eccles directing and Daniel Fallon accompanying, the glee club had a very successful audition.

The band was equally well received in its performance. Led by our band and majorettes a few of the hardy souls in the glee club who had tough feet marched behind them in the parade that followed all the individual glee club and band performances. Everyone was happy but tired upon returning home.

In observance of Memorial day an assembly has been planned at

PVRS for this afternoon. Rev. James Whyte from Mount Hermon will be guest speaker. The rest of the program will consist of selections presented by the students including the governor's proclamation by Dorothy Given, In Flanders Field by Kathryn Stoddard, America's Answer by Ray Glabach, the Gettysburg Address by Cora Hurlbert. The French class will sing "Marseillaise," the French national anthem and "Alonette." The public is invited to attend this assembly at 12:10 today.

June 13, 1958, Pioneer will be the scene of an historic event. On this day the very first graduation ceremonies will be held.

From the senior class of 26, ten students have decided to continue their education while the other sixteen members are seeking jobs or admittance to the armed forces.

On the night after graduation, June 14, the graduated will be celebrating at the Gables Restaurant in South Deerfield. Along with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Upham the seniors will be enjoying a banquet.

### Program Held At Center School

The Center school observed Memorial day Monday by dividing into three groups: grades 1 and 2, grades 3 and 4 and grades 5 and 6 for assemblies with Miss Dorothy Eccles, music supervisor, in charge. There was a review of the music for the year as well as patriotic songs.

The annual achievement tests have been completed except for a few absences and all children have been weighed and measured by Mrs. Marian Billings, school nurse, to find their growth since the beginning of the year.

Dental honor rolls were checked this week and Mrs. Jean Kozlowski's fourth grade has again won the banner with 71% having brought in certificates showing that all necessary dental work has been completed. More than half of the entire school has received such certificates and a large percent more are still undergoing treatment. Any certificates received by the children after school closes will be counted in next year's reckoning.

The last day that children will attend the Center school will be Thursday, June 12, when there will be a full day's session. Teachers only will report on Friday, June 13, to complete the year's work.

### Past Matrons OES Hold Food Sale

The prospects are that food sales will be as popular as ever this year. The Past Matrons association of the Northfield chapter, Order of Eastern Star, made a profit of \$65 at their sale Saturday. The committee was Mrs. L. Percy Goodspeed, Mrs. Albert Anderson, Mrs. Roy L. Fish and Mrs. F. Wilton Dean. The next scheduled sale will be June 14, sponsored by the St. Patrick's Guild.

### Smorgasbord Planned

The Community club of Bernardston is serving a public smorgasbord dinner at the elementary school on Memorial day from 11:30 to 1:30. No reservations are required.

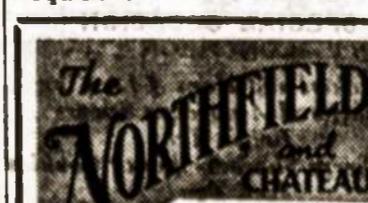
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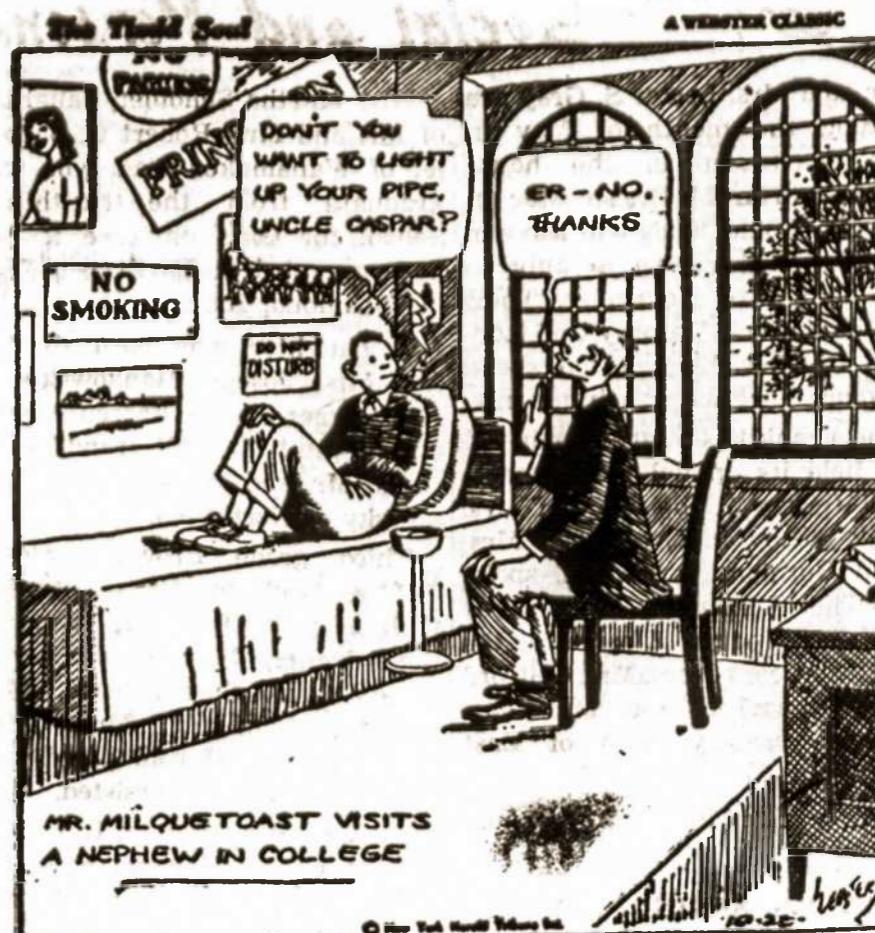
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### G.S. Court of Awards Honors Mrs. Lanphear

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The flag ceremony was led by Carol Atwood with Claire Walbridge as color bearer and Jane Abbott and Carol Lombard, color guards. The program included a welcome by Enid Maynard, songs by Girl Scouts, a play, "Sleeping Beauty," by second class Scouts; second class awards by Mrs. Marshall Lanphear, proficiency awards by Mrs. Robert Johnson and other awards presented by Mrs. Herbert Maynard, Mrs. David Hammond and Mrs. Fred Smith.



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## Children's Sunday Program Planned

Children's day program will be presented at the Unitarian church at 9:45 a.m. Sunday, June 8. The service will open with an organ prelude and include: hymn, "This Is My Father's World;" opening sentence, Robert Lippack; doxology, reading, Dana Caldwell; offering, Kenneth Miller and Roger Reed; choral response, prayer, Barry Webber; introduction and sermonette, Rev. Charles D. Moore; hymn, World's Children, church school; world religion and brotherhood of man: spirit of religion, Richard Knapp; oriental music, oriental girl, Joy Holloway; Hindu scripture, Buddy Waterman; Buddhist scripture, Katherine Knapp; Jewish music, Jewish boy, Douglas Moore; Lord's Prayer, choir; Christian boy, Dana Caldwell; Negro spiritual, Robert Williams' class; recitation, Judy Persons and Janet Lippack.

Colors of the flags of the world, purple, Rachel Black; blue, Joanne Smolen; green, Jon Persons; yellow, Bobby Waterman; orange, Douglas Reed; red, Arthur Knapp. Color groups by Mrs. Ross Spencer, Jr.'s and Mrs. Edmund Morgan's classes; hymn, Praise Him, Praise Him; thanks of the congregation to the church school staff; distribution of flowers, presentation of awards; benediction, Donald Knapp.

## Paper Boy Discovers Living Room Blaze

The local fire department was called Saturday afternoon to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Sutherland on Parker avenue to extinguish a fire in the living room, evidently started in a chair with curtains and nearby wood work just breaking into flames.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland with their daughter, Mrs. Isabel Clark, and grandsons, Dr. Edward Clark of Wilmington, Del., and Lt. Charles Clark, just returned from service with the U. S. Air Force in Japan, were away at the time.

The smoke was discovered by the Recorder-Gazette paper boy and a neighbor called the fire department. Damage was estimated by Fire Chief Floyd M. Dunnell at between \$1000 and \$1500.

## Auxiliary Poppy Sale Brings \$80 Profit

The annual sale of poppies here by the members of the American Legion auxiliary brought in \$80 to be used for rehabilitation work of the auxiliary. Five hundred poppies were distributed and it was felt that even more could have been disposed of. The committee wishes to express its appreciation to all who helped.

## 300 Participate In Memorial Day Parade

One of the finest Memorial day observances held in recent years was the feature of this year's 30th of May. Beautiful weather and our own school bands accounted for the large number, more than 300, in the parade and a large audience along the parade route and at the service at the Center cemetery.

Capt. William Cunniff, military aide to Gov. Foster Furcolo, was parade marshal and presented the governor's message at the cemetery program. The color guard was Stanley Bistrek, Robert Huber, Joseph Smolen and Mark Wright and the members of the rifle squad were Edmund Brassor, Alden Edson, Harry Holloway, Thomas Holton, Edward and Thomas Hurley, Donald Huber and Eugene Irish.

The Pioneer Valley regional school band was led by Miss Margaret Streeter and six majorettes. The rest of the parade was made up of the American Legion and auxiliary with Mrs. Pearl Allen,

## Hoehns Celebrate 62nd Anniversary

Special congratulations of the Northfield Press to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hoehn of East Northfield who observed their 62nd wedding anniversary on June 8. Mr. Hoehn for many years was owner and publisher of the Northfield Press.

## 14 Children Make First Communion

Children who received their first communion at St. Patrick's church Sunday morning were James Abey, Martin Livingstone, Francis Krejmas, David Chula, Edward Boliski, Jeffrey Sliz, Douglas Edson, Nancy and Susan Callaghan, Deborah Sliz, Christine Powers, Geraldine Fritz, Susan Schryba and Gregory Szulborski. The class had been taught by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Holy Trinity church of Greenfield.

A breakfast was served after the mass by St. Patrick's Guild. The committee, Mrs. Edward Luciw, chairman, Hrs. Stanley Bistrek included Mrs. Walter Wozniak, Mrs. Frank Rockwell, Mrs. John Greene and Mrs. John Klowan.

Parents, grandparents and godparents were invited for coffee.

## Harper Exhibit Creates Interest

The Ford Motor company's exhibit in the audio-visual room of Talcott library, Northfield School for Girls, has created a great deal of interest on the campus. The eleven pictures of "America's Vanishing Birds" are not only of artistic merit, but they are also a significant commentary on the encroachment of civilization on the world's wild life. Of the eleven American birds pictured, five have already been completely exterminated and the others are in the process of becoming extinct. The exhibit is indeed a potent argument in favor of appropriate laws and of greater diligence on the part of all men to protect our wildlife legacy.

These pictures were painted by Charles Harper who has been contributing to Ford publications and exhibits since 1948. "America's Vanishing Birds" is one of twenty-three travelling art exhibits which have been assembled from the Ford Times collection. Several Ford exhibits have previously been displayed at Talcott library.

## KOOT CLUB

The little girls of the Koot club made \$18 at their food sale held on the True lawn Saturday. They contributed \$10 of this to the Girl Scout Little House fund as they are third grade Brownies. The Girl Scout committee expresses its appreciation of this gift.



Twirlers at Pioneer Valley Regional School. Left row: Ruth Wood, Northfield; Marilyn Croutworst, Leyden; center row: Esther Ryther, Northfield; Sandy Peterson, Northfield; right row: Claire Walbridge, Northfield and Shirley Johnson, Leyden.

## Local Young People To Dance in Recital

Four girls from Northfield and one boy will present numbers on the program at Mrs. Virginia Maskell's dance recital at the Turners Falls high school auditorium Friday at 8 p.m. The girls who will present six numbers in tap, soft shoe and ballet technique are Joanne Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip M. Mann; Cheryl Dunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Dunnell; Patricia Wyman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wyman, and Diane Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Niles Stone. Ronnie Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan, a pupil of Mrs. Maskell for several years, will present tap dances numbers.

## Pre-school Nursery Planned for Mornings

Judy Holbrook of Winchester road is going to conduct a morning nursery for children of preschool and kindergarten age during the summer beginning on June 9. Any mother interested in this project may call her for more information, phone 690.

## Deerfield Art Assn. To Hold Auction

The Deerfield Valley Art association is holding a public auction for the benefit of its building and scholarship fund at the Mohawk Riding club at Lake Pleasant on Wednesday evening, June 11, at 6:30. Members and friends are donating small paintings, antiques, old and new bric-a-brac and food. Howard Call will be the auctioneer.

## NORTHFIELD STAMP CLUB

Northfield Stamp club will hold its final meeting until fall except for one summer meeting on Friday evening of this week with a picnic at the home of the president, William Cook, on the Wendell road at 6:30 p.m. The supper committee members are William Cook, Mrs. Emory Rikert and Nancy Magoon. This club which has been organized less than a year now has a membership of 24.

## Dance Recital.

There will be a public recital of the pupils of Gloria Goodwin's School of Dance at the Northfield town hall on the evening of Monday, June 9, at 8 p.m. Pupils from Northfield, Turners Falls and Gill will take part. The admission is fifty cents.

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## Nfld Selectmen Hear Report on Appraisal of Public Buildings

### Nfld. Schools Begin Commencements Today

Commencement activities at the Northfield schools will begin today with the annual banquet of the Mount Hermon senior class at the Northfield hotel. They will end Sunday with separate exercises at the two schools when 311 seniors will be graduated.

The program at Northfield School for Girls will begin Friday with last assembly at 3:30 p.m. on the lawn of Russell Sage chapel. Saturday events include "Northfield Aquazettes" at 2:30 p.m. in Henry C. Munger memorial swimming pool and a faculty reception for seniors and their guests at the headmaster's home from 3:45 to 5:15 p.m.

The commencement exercises will be Sunday at 10:30 a.m. with the address by Dr. Connie M. Guion, Northfield '03, professor emeritus of clinical medicine at Cornell Medical college. Dr. Edmund S. Meany, Jr., headmaster, will present the diplomas.

Mount Hermon's program includes the annual baseball game with Deerfield academy Friday at 3 p.m., Class day exercises and faculty reception Saturday afternoon.

Sunday's events include a 9 a.m. baccalaureate service for seniors only and commencement exercises at 11 a.m. in Memorial chapel. The commencement address will be given by Dr. Frank H. Bowles, director of the college entrance examination board, and Dr. Howard L. Rubendall, headmaster of the school and president of the Northfield schools, will present the diplomas.

Both schools will join Saturday night at 8:30 p.m. at the Northfield auditorium in a presentation of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pirates of Penzance."

## Selectmen's Assn Meets at PVRS

The Franklin County Selectmen's association met Thursday evening at 7 p.m. at the Pioneer Valley regional school for supper, a tour of the school and a business meeting. Gordon Ainsworth, president of the Pioneer Valley association, told of the work of his association.

The supper was served by mothers of the members of the PVRS band to raise money to buy band instruments. Mrs. Stanley Wicki of the school cafeteria staff directed the planning and serving of the supper.

## E. Bell Is Speaker At Kiwanis Meeting

The Northfield Kiwanis club met Monday evening at the farm of Edward Parsons in Hinsdale. Twenty-five members and two guests enjoyed a steak supper served by Dick Vielmetti of The Logs.

Ellsworth Bell, extension economist from the University of Massachusetts, spoke concerning the business of farming today.

The club meeting next Monday will be held at Llewelyn's picnic grove off the Millers Falls road.

## Dog Owners Reminded

Horace F. Field, town clerk, reminds all dog owners that all dogs must be licensed and should have been April 1. Legal action will soon be taken against owners of unlicensed dogs.

## To Our Readers:

With this issue, the Northfield Press is switching experimentally to a new format and also is extending its coverage into Winchester, N. H. This is part of a series of experiments to come up with a workable formula for a fine weekly of real service to its coverage area. We invite your comments and suggestions.

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### Church Notes

TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

REV. JOSEPH W. REEVES, Minister

Mrs. F. H. Morse, Director of Christian Education

IRVING J. LAWRENCE, Choir Director

MRS. ROBERT P. BARNES, Acting Organist

The annual Church school picnic for all the families of the parish will be held at Laurel Lake, Erving, on Saturday afternoon, June 7. Cars will leave the church at 2 o'clock. Help with transportation appreciated.

Sunday:

11 a.m., public worship. Sermon subject, Trying to Tell the Truth.

Pre-school age children and children of grades 1-4 attended by members of the Pilgrim Fellowship.

7:45 p.m., senior choir rehearsal in the vestry.

Adjourned business meeting of the members of the church will be held in the vestry Monday at 8 p.m. to act on the recommendation of the building survey committee.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Guild will be held in the vestry on Thursday evening preceded by a dessert to be served at 7 o'clock. The Rev. Robert W. Little, minister of the First Congregational church, Keene, N. H., will be the speaker.

Rummage sale for the benefit of the church school Friday and Saturday, June 20 and 21. Bring clothes for the sale to the church as soon as convenient.

A summer supper will be served in the vestry on Thursday, June 26, by Miss Sophie Servaes and her committee of Guild Women.

NORTHFIELD UNITARIAN CHURCH

REV. CHARLES D. MOORE, Minister

Mrs. L. P. GOODSPED, Organist and Choir Director

RAY A. KNAFF, Church School Superintendent

9:45, Sunday morning worship. Children's Sunday will be observed with the service by the church school.

Thursday, 2:30 p.m., Afternoon Alliance, guest speaker, Mrs. Thelma Richmond of East Longmeadow, district director. Hostesses, Mrs. Harold Bigelow and Mrs. Carroll Miller.

ST. PATRICK'S Catholic

REV. HENRY McKEON, Pastor

REV. ANTHONY REASA, Curate

Sunday, 10:30, morning mass.

Wednesday, St. Patrick's Guild will meet at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John T. Callahan off Highland avenue for a "cook-out" and business meeting.

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH  
REV. RICHARD GRIFFIN, Pastor  
MISS HAZEL JOY MARCY, Organist  
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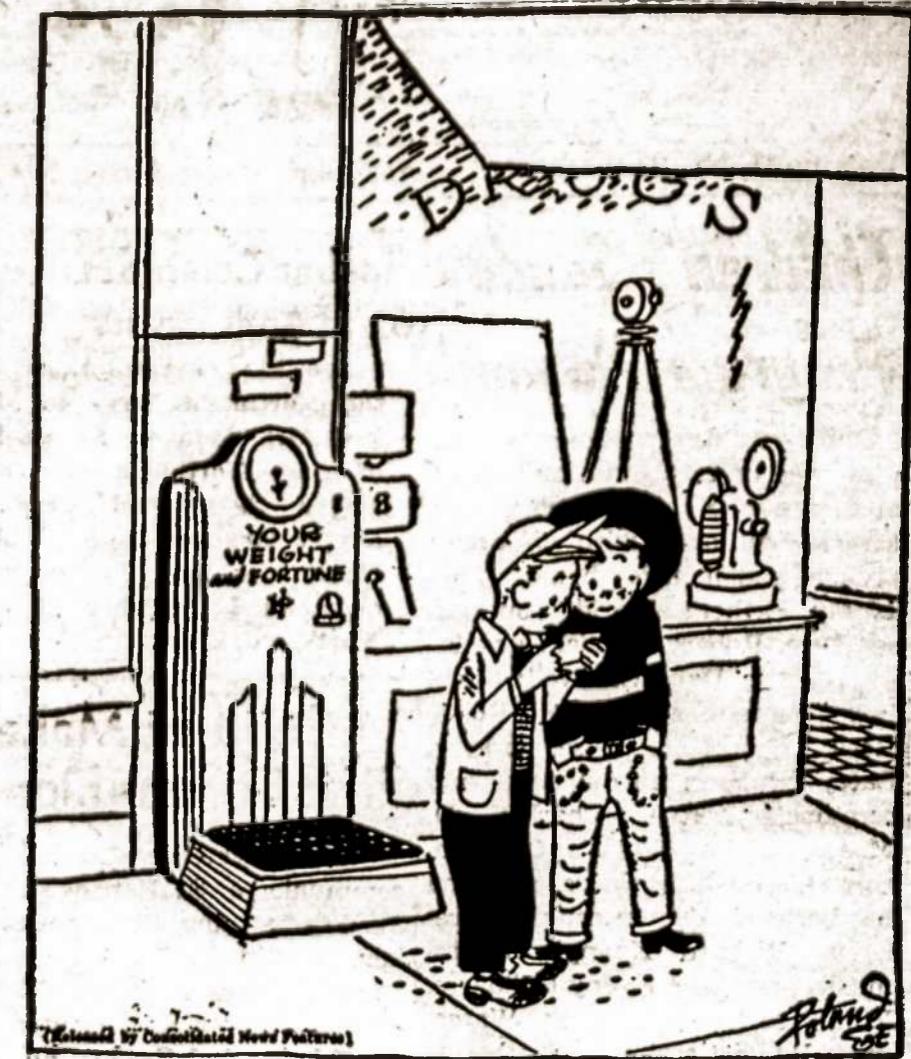
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## CROSSTOWN

By Roland Coe



## Dickinson Library Notes

Your librarian attended the annual spring meeting of the Connecticut Valley Library club which was held on Thursday, May 22, at Camp Apex, Shelburne Falls.

The following slate of officers, presented by the nominating committee was elected to serve the coming year: president, Richard Morrill, librarian at Adams; vice president, Mrs. Byron Scott of Lyonsville; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Adelia Allis, associate librarian at S. White Dickinson library, Whately.

There were 19 librarians and trustees present at the business meeting and roll call held at 10 a.m.

Following a talk by Miss Cornelius Church on "Budgets for Small Libraries," a discussion period was held on how to better the services of the libraries and the duties of the trustees.

It was the consensus of opinion that better services in libraries could only be had by presenting the needs and desirability of a better program with larger services to the public, that is, the taxpayer. One way of doing this would be to contact the selectmen and finance board to enlist their interest and support, it was stated.

It was noted by Miss Church that a fair allowance for libraries per capita of population is considered to be \$3.50. This figure is based on a full time opening of six days.

After the noon-day lunch, Mr. Le Vanway of the Recorder Gazette gave an interesting talk on "Reporters and reporting for a small-town newspaper."

The fall meeting of this club will be held at Adams at the invitation of Richard Morrill, the new president.

In addition to our daily duties at the library, 51 books were processed and placed on the shelves during the month. Included are 26 new books and 25 gifts from several donors.

In addition to the titles I have formerly given, we have: Antique Tin and Toy Ware, by Mary Gould; Audubon Guides, birds of Eastern and Central America;

Field guide to rocks and minerals; The Ordeal of Wilson by Herbert Hoover; Basketball Is My Life by Cousy; Schools without Scholars by Keats; The Greengage Summer by Godden; Mountain Road by White; Kate Cavanaugh by Downes; Ice Palace by Edna Ferber; The Revolutionary, by Schoenover.

Gifts were as follows: Birds over America by Peterson; Camera Assignment by Atkins and Baptie; The Lonesome Quarter by Wormser; Champion Road by Tillysley; The Desperate Search by Mayse; The Mohawk Ladder by Gerson; Gus, the Great, by Dun-can.

This week we have a shipment of children's titles to prepare for the shelves and hope they will encourage the summer reading for those children who are able to come to the library.

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## L.B.S. Card Party

There were eight tables playing cards at last week's party sponsored by the Ladies' Benevolent Society at Northfield Farms.

William Messer, physical education coach, reports quite a week for the boys' athletics. The 7th and 8th grades will be challenging Mahar regional in a baseball game tomorrow afternoon.

Starting this past week our

Millford, N. H., under the direction of Frank Yeaw.

At 7 p.m. there will be a special youth service sponsored by the Pilgrim Fellowship of the South Congregational church of Andover. been playing speedball—a combination of basketball, football and soccer.

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## Social and Personal News Notes of the Northfield Area

Miss Barbara M. Clough, former headmistress at the Northfield School for Girls, has received the appointment as director of the Reid Hall third year in the Paris program for the year 1958-59. Reid hall is an international center for university women established in Paris by the late Mrs. Whitelaw Reid in 1922.

John Greenwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Greenwood, received

his master's degree in science from the Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland on June 5.

Miss Nancy Mann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mann, has completed her sophomore year at Simmons college and after a vacation here with her parents will return to Boston where she will study voice at the New England Conservatory of Music with Gladys Miller, teacher. Miss Carol Cushing of Philadelphia was her holiday weekend guest.

Miss Patricia Leach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kenneth Leach, graduated last week from the medical laboratory technician course at the Boston Dispensary. Her parents attended the graduation program.

A daughter, Lynn Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Barnes of Orange at the Athol Memorial hospital on May 28; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barnes of Orange and Mr. and Mrs. George Hillock of Northfield and great-granddaughter of Mrs. Beatrice Swan of Orange and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Barnes of West Northfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Overdorff and son, David, have moved from the Kimmens' house to the upstairs apartment in the residence owned by Charles Repeta on the east side of Main street. Overdorff is an instructor of vocational-agriculture at the Pioneer Valley regional school.

Mrs. F. H. Mosse, director of Christian education at the Trinitarian Congregational church, has this week attended a conference in New York of all YMCA workers who have served outside the United States at the national YMCA headquarters. Mrs. Mosse did student work under the YMCA for 22 years in China.

Edward B. Lord who makes his home here with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lord, is visiting his sons, Robert Lord and family of Port Washington, L. I., and Francis

Lord and family of Silver Springs, Md.

Word has been received here of the death of James Bennett, 89, of New Haven, president and treasurer of the Beacher and Bennett funeral home of that city. He was a summer visitor here for many years.

There will be a meeting of the Republican town committee on June 10 at 8 p.m. at the town hall. Recommendations for a vacancy in the post office department will be considered.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Tenney of Northfield Farms are observing their 50th wedding anniversary on Monday, June 9, and will hold open house to their neighbors and friends during the afternoon and the evening.

The huge pink rhododendron bush in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bistrek (about opposite The Logs) will be at its best this weekend. This bush was planted 135 years ago by the mother of the late Warren and Finaas Wright and is one of the town's attractions at this time of the year. Folks who are interested are invited to take pictures.

Miss Joan Williams of Springfield was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leonard of Main street.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Seveinghaus and their three children of Bethesda, Md., will leave early this month for Berkeley, Calif., where Dr. Severinghaus will be on the faculty of the medical school of the University of California and where he will do research work in his specialty — anesthesia. Mrs. Severinghaus is the former Elinor Peck who was graduated from the Northfield School for Girls and has spent many summers on the Ridge.

Mrs. Robert M. Moore of Pleasant Valley avenue, Moorestown, N. J., received a literature citation and an award of money during the awards luncheon of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs convention at Atlantic City recently held.

The literature award was for a prize essay and the money she received will be used to purchase a book for the Moorestown Free Library. The award winning essay was the last chapter of Mrs. Moore's book, "A Shepherd's Heart." The Moores are summer residents here.

Miss Dorothy Dilger opened her camp on Warwick road this past weekend. She entertained Miss Irene Well, a Methodist missionary on furlough from India; Miss Elizabeth MacMullen of New Rochelle and Miss Agnes Wheeler of Boston. Most of the time was spent showing Miss Wells the beauty of the Northfield area.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fish and Mr. and Mrs. George Pefferie attended the wedding in Dalton Saturday of Miss Carolyn Steadler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steadler of Dalton, formerly of Northfield, to William P. McEl-

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### David M. Scott Wed in Hawaii

The wedding of Miss Doris Menios and AT/3 David M. Scott, U. S. Navy, took place at the Immaculate Conception church at Ewa Oahu, territory of Hawaii, May 17. The ceremony was performed by Father Thomas Miyashiro.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Menios of Ewa, and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Scott of Northfield.

A sister of the bride, Gladys Cuarima, was matron of honor and Michael A. Matinchek, Jr., a friend of the groom, best man. A reception at the home of the bride followed the ceremony.

The bride is employed at the naval base at Barber's Point, Hawaii.

The groom graduated from Mt. Hermon school in June, 1955, enlisted in the navy Aug. 1, 1955 and has been stationed in Hawaii since Nov. 1956. Mr. and Mrs. Scott are making their home temporarily at Fernandez Village, #63, P.O. Box 827, Ewa, Oahu, Hawaii.

wain. The wedding was held at the First Congregational church, followed by a reception at the Crane Inn.

Cadet David W. Hiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Hiller of 126 Main street, has been awarded the gold star as a distinguished cadet at the U. S. Coast Guard academy, New London, Conn. This award is for high academic rating. Most of the cadet corps at this time is on a 10-week training cruise on the sailship Eagle and will visit Holland, Ireland, Portugal, Bermuda and possibly the world's fair in Brussels.

Miss Martha Schouler, graduating this week from the Northfield School for Girls, has been accepted as a student at Earlham college in Richmond, Ind.

Joseph Bilmon, local tree warden, has been spraying town streets this week beginning about 6 o'clock each evening and continuing until the early morning hours. If weather permits he ex-

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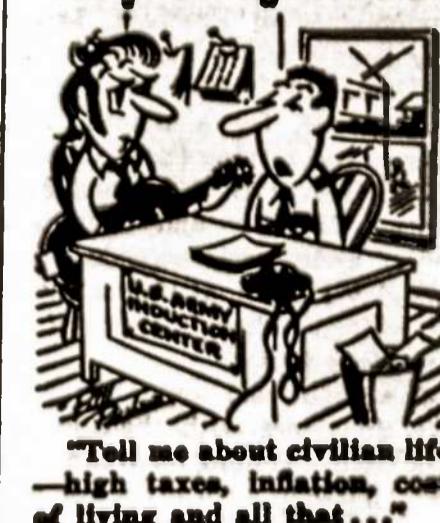
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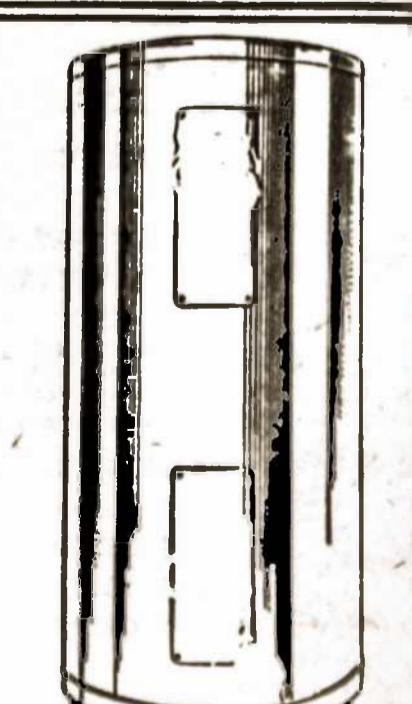
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## News from Winchester

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Mr. and Mrs. William King and two children of Freeport, Maine, have been visiting their folks, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Caban of North Main street, for a month. Mrs. King is the former Carol Caban.

Mrs. George B. Piper and Mrs. George E. Piper and daughters, Sherri and Terri, attended parents' day May 25, at Keene Teachers' college where George Earle Piper is a junior.

The junior and senior Sunbeam 4-H clubs met with their leader, Mrs. Gladys Holton, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, for project meetings. The senior group was assisted by Mrs. Muriel Whipple.

Mrs. Grace French, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grupe, Stephen Johnson, George Bolton, Mrs. Vergelin Wood and Mrs. Carmencita Perry toured for over two hours the Ralph C. Maher regional school in Orange Wednesday evening.

The French class of Thayer high school dined at the Chantclair Restaurant in Brattleboro Thursday, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Marion Smith, and two guests.

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Parsnips are cultivated for the long, thick, white, edible root, and can be found on the vegetable counter of your favorite grocery store or supermarket, temptingly packaged in cellophane bags. These plump, tasty roots add variety to any meal before fresh, home-grown garden vegetables mature.

The parsnip is a tall, stout biennial with cut-toothed leaflets and grooved stem. The yellow flowers are arranged in a broad, flat-topped cluster which is called an umbel. Most home gardeners know the seeds which are very much flattened. The surface is ribbed with the two lateral ribs extending into wings.

These thin, flat seeds retain their vitality a relatively short time, only about one or two years. They are slow to germinate (approximately 21 days), and when the home gardener plants them in the early spring, the harvest seems a long way off.

The storage problem is practically nil, for the roots may be left in the ground to be dug in the late winter or early spring as needed. Winter freezing does not injure parsnips, in fact, some say it improves the food, and makes the vegetables sweeter and more delicious. They retain their crisp freshness when handled this way.

*Pastinaca sativa* is the parsnip's botanical name. It belongs to the parsley family and is kin to the carrot, celery, dill and fennel. *Pastinaca* comes from the Latin word *pastus*, which means food; also from the Latin, *pastino*, to prepare the ground for planting the vine.

### Memorial Day Exercises Held

The parade was led by color bearers, V.F.W. firing squad and Thayer high school band. Following the band were members of the Legion post, V.F.W. auxiliary, Legion auxiliary, Winchester fire department, Brownie troop, Girl Scout troop, Boy Scout troop and the elementary school children.

The line of march started at the V.F.W. home to Main street, facing the World War I monument, where the introduction was given by Commander Francis T. Barden and invocation by Rev. Edgar Flory, followed by placing of wreaths at the Soldiers' monuments. Herbert Landigan of Raymond, N. H., past department commander of New Hampshire V.F.W., gave the address.

The parade went to Evergreen cemetery for the V.F.W. ritual at the unknown soldier's grave. Captain Henry C. Thayer, Sr., gave the prayer, which was followed by the school children singing "America." Prayer and benediction were given by Rev. Mr. Flory and the salute by the V. F. W. firing squad. Taps was played by Charles Land and the echo by Richard Baker, members of the Thayer band. The school children participating were served refreshments.

Center school pupils conducted Memorial day services Thursday around the flagpole in front of the school. Boy Scouts Robert Miner, George Whittle, Robert Gould, John Denjak, Thomas O'Connor, Charles Hildreth, Richard Smith, James Peiky, Neil Kilanski and Otis Shline performed the flag-raising ceremonies and "taps" was played by James Peiky. Scout Richard Smith raised the flag.

Ruth Hodgman, Gall Porter, Mary-Theresa Amarosa, Laurel Robb and Doris Thompson gave a short exercise titled "Our Soldiers." Linda White recited the poem, "The Blue and the Gray." "The Gettysburg Address" was read by Jean Hildreth followed by group singing of "America."

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### Kiwanis Conducts Clean-up Program

The Winchester Kiwanis club, represented by twenty members, conducted a clean-up program at the park Tuesday to prepare it for the coming season. Charles Morse directed the fireplace repairs.

A picnic supper, served by Norman LeClair, proprietor of the Ashuelot hotel, followed. A directors' meeting for June 5 to be held at Frank Leavey's home, was announced by President Dwight Holton. Homer Badley, Keene lawyer, will be guest speaker next week.

$\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon salt  
While the parsnips are still warm, add the butter and salt. Beat the eggs slightly, add sugar and nutmeg. Add milk and parsnip mixture and mix well. Pour into a pastry-lined pie pan. Sprinkle a little nutmeg over the top. Bake in a 400-degree oven about 30 minutes, or until top is nicely browned and silver knife inserted into side of filling (custard) comes out clean. Serve warm or cold.

Parsnips were known in Germany in 1542. They became a common vegetable by the middle of the 16th century, being one of the staples of the poorer people of Europe. They were well known to the early colonists who cultivated them in Virginia in 1609, and in Massachusetts in 1629 and 1630. Parsnips were esteemed by the Iroquois Indians of western New York, for General Sullivan, in his forays against these peoples in 1779, found the roots among the foods stored for winter use.

Here is the recipe for parsnip pie, a luscious fragrant treat:  
1 cup cooked parsnips, mashed  
2 eggs  
1 cup milk  
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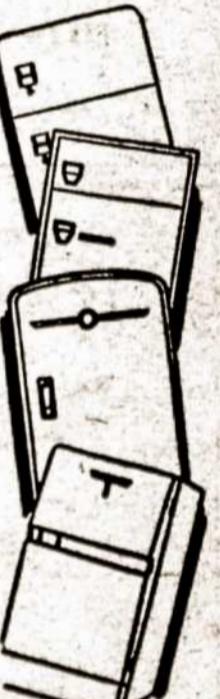
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## "Yankee Homecoming" Year To be Featured at Swanzy

This is to be "Yankee Homecoming Year" at the 17th annual revival of Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead" by the Swanzy Players in the Potash Bowl, Swanzy, N. H., on July 11, 12, 13 at 8:15 each evening. Friday will be Agricultural night; Saturday, governor's night and Sunday, church night. There will be a band concert by the Old Homestead band each evening at 7:30.

The Potash Bowl is a natural amphitheatre, surrounded by tall pines located on Route 32; "The Old Homestead" Highway in Swanzy Center. It is only a short distance from the original Old Homestead and only a few miles from Denman Thompson's home.

This is the 17th year that this beloved old comedy-drama which brought fame and fortune to its author, Denman Thompson, has been presented in his home town. "The Old Homestead" played in New York four years, in Boston two years and in Philadelphia two years and also ran several years in

Chicago, San Francisco and Pittsburgh. It is directed from the original script with many of the original costumes, properties and scenery including the Grace church scene which Denman Thompson purchased. Working oxen are a featured part of the production.

A public supper will be served at the Buck Meeting House in Swanzy Center on Friday night and at the Golden Rod Grange in Swanzy Center and the Community church in West Swanzy on Saturday night. No reservations are required—first come, first served.

For ticket reservations write Miss Alice Marsh or telephone (Keene Elmwood 2-1988). Tickets may be purchased at Bullard and Shedd's in Keene, N. H., beginning July 5.

Anyone who has not attended one of these 17 annual productions should plan to go this year. Many from this area attend every year as one of the summer's principal important events.

## Northfield Schools' Seniors .

### Hear Dr. Connie M. Guion

"If you are bored with your parents, it is better than to be bored with your husband. You can walk out on your parents and return to a warm welcome but if you walk out on your husband you will walk into the divorce court," is what Dr. Connie M. Guion, professor emeritus of clinical medicine, Cornell Medical College, advised the graduating class of Northfield School for Girls Sunday morning as the school's 75th commencement speaker. Dr. Guion went on to urge her intent audience to "get a foundation upon which you can build your life."

Diplomas were presented by Headmaster Edmond S. Meany, Jr., to 158 girls. At the same time, Dr. Howard L. Rubendall, president of the Northfield schools and headmaster of Mount Hermon school, presented diplomas to 153 Mount Hermon graduates. They and the audience of parents and friends filling the Mount Hermon chapel heard Frank H. Bowles, director of the college entrance examination board, characterize college as "a form of life insurance . . . which consists of opening doors to the future and of keeping them open." Mr. Bowles told the group that many would change goals and objectives during their first college years and that "you must not consider yourselves as committed to a life work because you now think it attractive; you must be prepared to change when the evidence is clear that you should change."

Dr. Guion held special interest for her audience because of being a Northfield alumna. New York hospital recently announced that its new building to house its outpatient and emergency departments will be named in honor of this woman who has served the hospital as a physician for forty years.

Dr. Guion pointed out the need for a broader educational base in all fields. "Today medical schools are putting emphasis on liberal arts education with the result that graduates of the past ten years have a keener understanding of human values and a greater insight into the philosophy and psychology of people."

In speaking to parents and to the girls as mothers of the next generation, Dr. Guion pointed out that "parents who dread to deny their children any wish or who fail to enforce any discipline, thereby delay children's realization that life must be faced directly without excuses, that infringement of law is always paid for in punishment and that hardships are best met with fortitude." She expressed the opinion that as a result "we have many young people who are rudderless and who long for someone in whom they can confide, whom they can respect and love and to whom they

## Well Child Clinic Scheduled in June

The annual well child clinic for children up to school age will be held June 19-20 at the town hall. The clinic is sponsored by the board of health and planned by the public health nurse, Mrs. Marian Billings.

Dr. William Buchanan of Greenfield will be the physician in charge.

The schedule for appointments is as follows: June 19, 9 to 12 m., children whose last names begin with A through D; 1 to 4 p.m., children whose last names begin with E through K; June 20, 9 to 12 m., those with last names L through Z.

Anyone unable to attend according to the schedule may call the public health nurse at the selectmen's office between 1 and 4 p.m. to arrange for a suitable time.

## McGahan-Porter Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. McGahan of 96 Montague City Road, Greenfield, have announced the engagement of their daughter Myrna M. to Norman A. Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin C. Porter of Birnam Road, Northfield.

Miss McGahan graduated from the Greenfield High School in 1953, the University of Massachusetts in 1957 and is graduating from Northampton Commercial College on June 13.

Mr. Porter attended Mount Hermon and Northfield High School and is a member of the class of 1959 at the University of Massachusetts.

## Antiques To Be Shown

The annual antique show will be held this year at the Northfield town hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, June 19, 20, 21. R. E. Newman of Hinsdale is the director and antique dealers from near and far will display antiques for sale.

## Public Health Nurse Reports 130 Visits

The public health nurse, Mrs. Marian Billings, reports 130 visits during the month of May; 120 noncommunicable, two acute communicable, five anti-partum, six pre-school and 68 adults.

Fifty children received attention at school and three children attended the crippled children's clinic. Children in kindergarten through grade 6 were weighed and measured and the results recorded on individual health cards. Four children were taken to the dentist's office and two adults to the doctor's office. A talk on "Health and Hygiene" was given to a group of sixth grade Girl Scouts. Calls were made to five homes to report negative reports on chest X-rays made last month.

## 150 Attend OES Reception

One hundred fifty attended the reception held last week Wednesday evening for Deputy Grand Matron Helen Fish and Deputy Grand Marshal Ruth Hurlbert at the Masonic hall. Among the special guests were Ann Cutone, grand conductress from Somerville, and Associate Grand Conductress Elise Wheeler from Osterville, Cape Cod. After receiving the guests there was a short entertainment. Each deputy was presented a gift from the Northfield chapter and a gift from the Past Matrons' association of the Northfield chapter. Refreshments were served downstairs from a table with beautiful centerpiece arranged by Mrs. Walter Bailey. In charge of the refreshments were Miss Gladys Ellithorpe, Mrs. Jessie Hyde, Mrs. Mildred Pefferle, Mrs. Ruth Darby and Mrs. Jennie Johnson.

## State Officer Is Grange Speaker

The Northfield Grange was host to many visitors and to Frank E. Nelson of Athol, steward of the Massachusetts State Grange, special guest and speaker, Tuesday evening at the Grange hall. Mr. Nelson brought the greetings of the State Grange and spoke on Grange work and ideals. He stated that the month of June is dedicated to love, marriages and graduations but it also contains flag day, that when he was a boy, on these patriotic holidays, hardly a home did not display a flag but today they are seen seldom except on public buildings, parks, etc., and he urged that every American home own a flag and display it often particularly on patriotic holidays.

An announcement was made of the meeting of the Connecticut Valley Pomona Grange on Monday evening, June 23, in Bernardston when an International Farm Youth Exchange delegate will speak on the Exchange program and personal experiences. Members of the Springfield Pomona Grange will be guests.

An invitation to a neighbors' night meeting of Bernardston Grange on June 18 was accepted and members will present a short program.

A contribution of money was voted for Kurn Hattin Home in Westminster, Vt.

Saturday evening of this week, June 14, local Grange members will visit Millers River Grange of Orange. The Grange cookbooks and pound cans of candy are still on sale by members. The birthdays of Bertha Hammond, Emory Rickett, Lewis Shife, Dorothy Whitney, Mildred Addison, Orletta Bronson, Carroll Miller, Robert Miller and guest, Frank Nelson, were honored as was the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holbrook, Jr. Guests were present from Keene, Montague, Orange and Athol. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Isabel Carter and Mrs. Etta Cavanaugh.

On the next meeting night, June 24, all will meet at the Grange hall at 7 p.m. to go for a mystery ride.

## "Tourist Captives" of Greenfield To Visit Northfield Thursday

### Residents Urged To Display Flag

Saturday, June 14, is Flag Day, that is the date in 1777 that the Continental Congress adopted the design for the national flag. It was first flown in battle on Sept. 3, 1777, carried by a detachment under General William Maxwell which met an advance guard of British and Hessian troops under Generals Howe and Cornwallis at Cooch's Bridge, Del. Every home in Northfield where a flag is owned should display it on Saturday.

### PVRS Baccalaureate Held at New School

The first baccalaureate program for the Pioneer Valley Regional school was held Sunday afternoon at the school auditorium. The auditorium had many empty seats but the program was solemn and impressive. The senior class, wearing black robes and mortar board caps with white tassels, entered to the processional "War March of the Priests" with Miss Dorothy Eccles, pianist. The audience remained standing to sing "This Is My Father's World" and the prayer of invocation by Rev. Joseph W. Reeves.

Miss Jessica Walker sang "The Lord's Prayer." Rev. Thomas S. Cleaver of the Federated church of Warwick read the lesson, Ex. 3: 1-2. A choir of glee club members sang "Shine, Glorious Sun."

The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Robert Harding of the Centre church, Brattleboro, Vt., and his subject, "Don't Forget God in Your Living." He advised the young people to check up on themselves, that this is God's world and that they are accountable to Him and they should seek and listen to find His plan for them. He cautioned them not to miss life in the midst of living as there is a part for each to play.

Following the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" the benediction was given by Rev. Charles Moore of the Northfield and Bernardston Unitarian churches.

### New Church Building Voted Down 76-75

At the adjourned business meeting of the Trinitarian Congregational church Monday evening at the church vestry the motion to build a new church building to house the sanctuary on the first floor and a parish hall in the basement was lost by one vote, 75 in favor and 76 against.

The church building survey committee had made the recommendation at the meeting on May 26 that such a building be constructed at a cost of \$170,800. The committee had been named in May, 1956, to study the church needs.

Robert C. Barnes, church moderator, presided at the meeting.

Preceding the vote there was a lengthy discussion and E. Charles Fowlston of Amherst, fund-raising counsel for the Massachusetts Congregational conference, spoke on fund raising.

Following the announcement of the results of the ballot the meeting was adjourned indefinitely.

### DAR

The Daughters of the American Revolution will make a trip to the D.A.R. forest in Goshen Monday, June 18. The group will leave Northfield at 10 o'clock and will take lunches.

### MR. AND MRS. CLUB

The annual family picnic of the Mr. and Mrs. Club of the Northfield Baptist church will be held Saturday, June 14. All will meet at the church at 6:15 and the destination will be Lee Canedy's camp in Leyden. All couples and their families are invited. There is no age limit. All will bring a picnic lunch and there are outdoor cooking facilities at the camp.

for lunch at the Northfield Hotel and will then visit the Chateau at 2 p.m. They are scheduled to arrive at Mount Hermon to see that school at 2:45 and will then see a demonstration of silk screen printing at Bob Wert's Country Prints in Gill.

The cavalcade will return to Turners Falls by way of the French King bridge for special ceremonies and to receive gifts. In the evening they will be entertained in Greenfield at the Weldon hotel.

Other groups of "captives" will tour and be entertained in other parts of the county in this cooperative area promotion plan.

The participants for this tour will be selected from tourists entering the area the night before. Their cars will be taken from them and given free service while the occupants will be shown the beauties and attractions of all kinds of this area. The venture is receiving nation-wide publicity and many local people will be interested in welcoming the visitors.

## Mrs. Lura Stone Attends Lura League

Mrs. Lura Stone of Warwick avenue on Saturday attended a meeting of the Lura Friendship league in Springfield at the home of Mrs. Lura Hayden. There are 259 members from all over the country registered in this league and this was their 53rd anniversary meeting. The president, Mrs. Lura Cress of Philadelphia, was among 22 attending the gathering. Others were from Wethersfield, Manchester, Hartford, Coventry and Madison, Conn.; Putney, Vt., and from Dalton, Watertown, Granby, Orange, Ludlow, Northampton, Attleboro and Northfield.

Mrs. Lura Seery of Madison, Conn., was named president for the coming year. All enjoyed a buffet lunch and social time. Club members have a pin with clasped hands and their motto is: "Love is the greatest thing in the world."

And right well do we know it! Let's form a league, just you and I. To prove it, act it and show it."

This is the third annual meeting Mrs. Stone has attended.

## Five Pupils Injured In Bus Collision

Five pupils and the driver of the school bus were slightly injured when a school bus collided with a farm truck on June 5 at the intersection of Route 63 and Beers Plain road. The driver of the school bus was Eugene Miller of Warwick avenue and the driver of the farm truck was Charles W. Llewellyn, Jr., who said brake failure caused the collision.

Injured were Virginia Beaman, 11, Carl E. Fisher, 7, both of the South Mountain road, and Angela Lincoln, Robert Waterman and Albert McCasile, 8, all receiving contusions and bruises. Dr. Ansel B. True attended the injured children at the scene.

Two of the children did not attend school on Friday and one on Friday morning, but all were back in school on Monday morning reportedly in good condition.

## Republican Women To Hear Sen. Graham

The Franklin County Women's Republican club will hold its annual meeting and dinner on Thursday, June 19, at 6:30 at the Robbins Memorial church in Greenfield. Following the dinner the guest speaker will be Senator Philip A. Graham, his subject: "Challenge to the Republican Party in Massachusetts," and he will also speak on the retirement pension. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Raymond Parenteau, secretary of the local Republican town committee. Reservations must be made not later than 5 p.m. on June 16.

## Good Neighbors Elect Officers

At last week's meeting of the Good Neighbors of the Advent Christian Church these officers were elected: president, Mrs. Sarah Finch; vice president, Mrs. Violet Moore; secretary, Mrs. Marguerite Stacy; and treasurer, Mrs. Eleanor Stange.

These committee chairmen were appointed: program, Mrs. Evelyn White; ways and means, Mrs. Blanche Mitchell; service men, Miss Hazel Merrifield; membership, Mrs. Mattie Parmier, and secretaries, Mrs. Helen Tomkins.

Annual Reports were read by the various officers and committee chairmen. The group has a membership of fifty-one.

A birthday party followed the meeting honoring those whose birthdays came in April, May and June.

## Reception Honors Rev. Paul Bubar

Rev. Paul Bubar left Northfield immediately after a reception was given in his honor at the Northfield Baptist church Thursday evening of last week for his new position with Christian Enterprises, Inc., of Orlando, Fla.

Berton Rogers was master of ceremonies and the reception was attended by more than 100 persons from Winchester, Brattleboro, South Vernon, Orange, Bernardston and Northfield. Music was provided by the quartet with William, Robert, Frederick and David Messer and a brass trio with Marion and Charles Lang and Richard Baker.

Charles Lang and Berton Rogers told of Mr. Bubar's three years' work with the church where he conducted a radio ministry, Sunday drive-in church, dial-a-prayer service, an evening Bible school and a youth group.

A gift of money from the members of his church and friends was presented to him.

## Supper Nets \$100 For Band Expenses

The proceeds from the supper served to the Franklin County Selectmen's Association by parents of band members of the Pioneer Valley Regional school netted nearly \$100 for their use for band expenses. Assisting Mrs. Stanley Wickl on the supper committee were Mrs. Niles Stone, Mrs. Stephen Barber, Mrs. Stanley Bistrick, Mrs. Edward Lucy of Northfield and Mrs. Clarence Deane, Mrs. John Morgan, Mrs. Wendell Wilder, Miss Judith Wilder, Mrs. Wendell Streeter, Mrs. William Field and Miss Robin Harwood of Bernardston.

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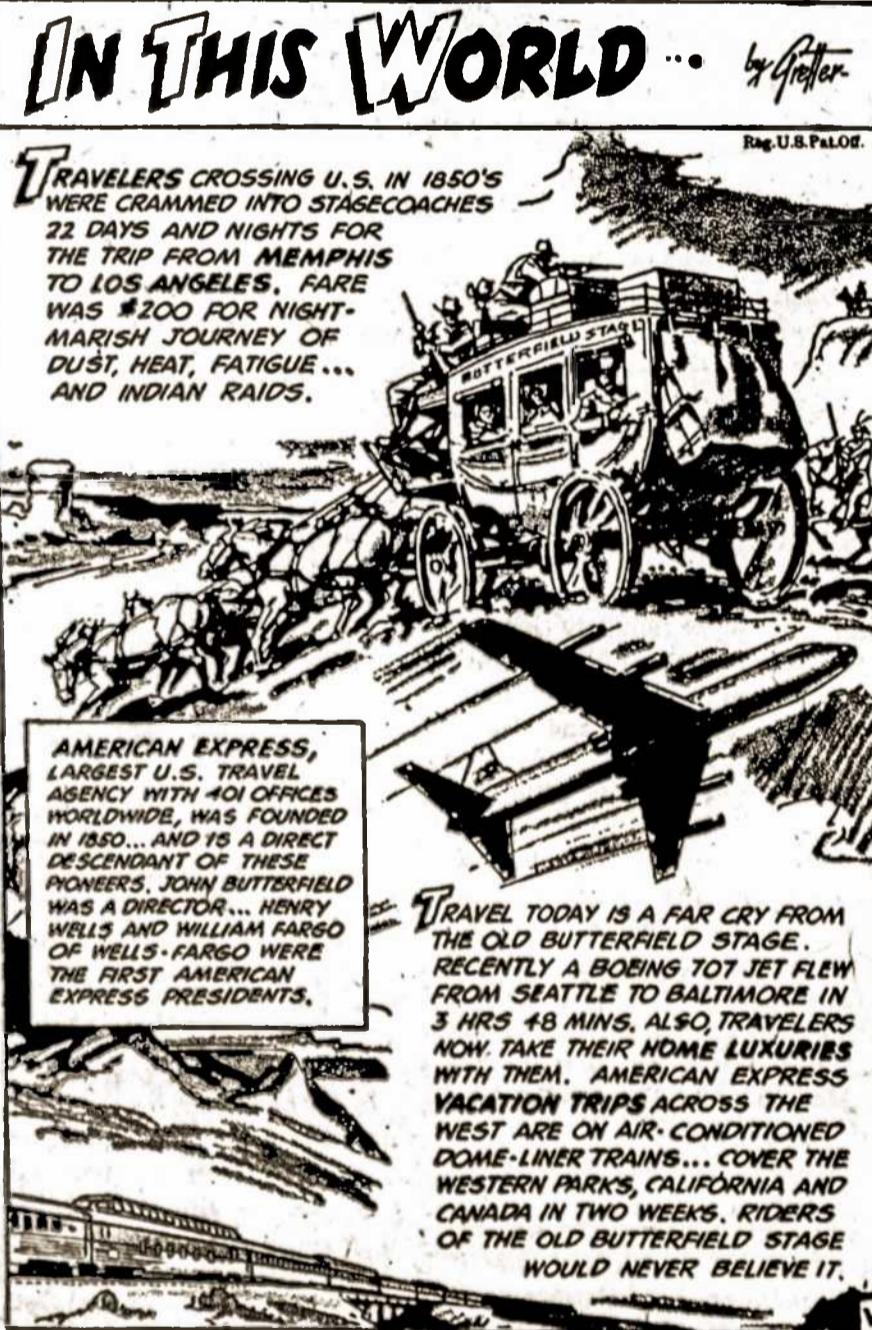
### United We Stand

The chance for active cooperation on an area level is, surprisingly, relatively rare. This is particularly true in the Tourist Industry where we tend to compete among ourselves for favor. True, we have such excellent groups as the Pioneer Valley Association, and the Mohawk Trail Association doing outstanding work, but as individual communities and enterprises we feel somewhat remote from participation other than by membership.

This is not true for "Tourist Captivity of Old Greenfield Days" beginning next Thursday, June 19. The idea was presented by Joseph E. R. Auclair to the Greenfield Area Chamber of Commerce, and that organization has spear-headed the activities, but it is not purely Greenfield promotion. The tours that the "Captives" will take are designed to point out the advantages of this area educationally, agriculturally, in recreation, in industry, historically of course, and in just plain living. The participation of the Associations, other Chambers of Commerce, and individually interested citizens from Northfield, Winchester, Orange, Turners Falls, Amherst, Deerfield, Shelburne, Charlemont, North Adams, and others, points up once again the strength of unity of purpose, and that we are not alone, that each is dependent on the other, and that together large enterprises become not only possible but important to us individually.

The benefits to be derived from such an enterprise are many, and include national publicity for the area and for individual features of our way of life. But, perhaps, even more important, is the sense of belonging, the sense of accomplishment, the sense of participation, the sense of action, and the sense of being wanted as an integral part of the multiple hitch that can carry us far.

We applaud the broad thinking of Mr. Auclair and the Greenfield Chamber of Commerce. It is most refreshing—and vital, too, for all our futures.



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### Church Notes

TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
REV. JOSEPH W. REEVES, Minister  
MRS. F. H. MOSSIE, Director of Christian Education

IRVING J. LAWRENCE, Choir Director  
MRS. ROBERT P. BARNE, Acting Organist

Sunday, 11 a.m., worship in Sage Chapel on the campus of the Northfield School for Girls. The Rev. Harold B. Smith will preach.

Rummage sale for the benefit of the church school Friday and Saturday, June 20 and 21, in the vestry. Hours, Friday, 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. Saturday, 10-12 m.

A summer supper with strawberry shortcake for dessert will be served in the vestry Thursday, June 26, at 6:30. Tickets, \$1.25 and children under 12, 75¢. Tickets on sale at the usual stores.

NORTHFIELD UNITARIAN CHURCH

REV. CHARLES D. MOORE, Minister  
MRS. L. P. GOODSPED, Organist and Choir Director

RAY A. KNAPP, Church School Superintendent  
9:45, Sunday morning worship, sermon topic, "Albert Schweitzer."

No church school.

Wednesday, June 18, parish committee meeting, 8 p.m.

Saturday, June 21, church school food sale and church odds and ends table, on the church lawn.

June 22, church family picnic at Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Goodspeed's camp at Moore's Pond, Warwick.

ST. PATRICK'S Catholic  
REV. HENRY McKEON, Pastor  
REV. ANTHONY RZASA, Curate

Sunday, 10:30, morning mass. Saturday, June 14, food sale by St. Patrick's Guild.

NORTHFIELD BAPTIST  
SAMUEL A. BISHOP, Organist  
MRS. RICHARD NEPP, Assistant Organist

MRS. RALPH PERRY, Pianist

10 a.m.—Sunday school, Mrs. William Messer, superintendent.  
11 a.m.—Morning worship with sermon.

Nursery and junior church at same hour.

6:30 p.m.—Young People.  
7 p.m., pre-evening service prayer.  
7:30, evening evangelistic hour.

Monday, 7:30, Bible study at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Rogers.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m., "Hour of Power."

June 27-July 11, Daily vacation Bible school.

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH  
REV. RICHARD GRIFFIN, Pastor  
MISS HAZEL JOY MARCY, Organist  
LAURENCE MARCY, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday, 10:30 a.m., Sunday school.  
11:30 a.m., worship service.

Father's Day and the dedication of several children.

6:15 p.m., Young People's meeting.  
7:30 p.m., evening service.

Wednesday 7:30 p.m., prayer meeting.

Friday, 3:30, Sing and Bring club.

Friday, 7 p.m., choir rehearsal.

Bible study; 8:30, band practice.

Saturday, 10:05-10:30 a.m., Sing and Bring club on WHAI.

Saturday the young people will play softball with the young people of the Advent Christian church.

June 30, two weeks vacation Bible school begins.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN SOUTH VERNON

REV. EVERETT MOORE, Pastor  
MRS. RALPH GIBSON, Organist  
MRS. HAROLD PARSONS, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday, 10:30, morning worship, Rev. Fred Flewelling, speaker.  
10:30 a.m.—Junior worship.

11:30, Sunday school.

7 p.m., Young People's meeting.

7:30, evening service.

Rev. Flewelling will show slides of Japan.

Monday, 6:30, State Line Fellowship, annual boys' night picnic supper and trip to the wild life museum on Hog Back Mt.

Tuesday, 7:30, Ladies' Mission society at the Vernon Home.

Thursday, 7:45 p.m., prayer meeting.

CATHEDRAL OF THE PINES

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Friday, June 13, special service

### Social Notes

Miss Shirley Mae Kenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Kenney of Warwick avenue, and Philip Murley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Murley of 83 Harrison avenue, Greenfield, were married on Thursday evening, June 5, by Rev. Joseph Reeves at the Trinitarian Congregational church parsonage.

Lt. Col. John E. Sutherland of West Springfield will go to Taiwan, China, as the next assignment of his military career. He is a graduate of Powers Institute, Bernardston, and enlisted in the army in 1941. He served in New Caledonia in World War II and later was stationed in Germany. He and his family lived in Northfield in the former Carmean house at one time. During his service in China his wife and son will continue to live at Silver Springs, Md.

Andrew F. Kay of Hempstead, L. I., has purchased and is operating the hardware and plumbing, heating and bottled gas business of Hamilton S. Cregar in East Northfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Bayley are living in the third floor apartment at 204 Main street. Mr. Bayley is on terminal leave from the army. He will begin summer courses at the University of Massachusetts on June 23 and is to be a member of the Pioneer Valley regional school faculty in September.

Cradle roll certificates were presented to Julie Farber, Michael Burnor, Ruth Shearer, John Trumbull, James Andrew, Carl Stone, Jr., Robin Taylor, Joy Gorzocoski, Rosemary Parks and Jeffrey Dean at the cradle roll party at the Trinitarian Congregational church last week.

Carolyn Ruth Bolton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ruth Bolten will receive her Bachelor of Science degree at Springfield College's 72nd commencement exercises on June 15. She majored in physical education and graduates with high praise.

The Kiwanis Club met Monday evening at Llewellyn's picnic grove off the Millers Falls Road. Next Monday evening they will meet at the Mount Hermon Outing Club cabin in Bernardston.

sponsored by the Church of God of the Prophecy. Rev. A. D. Somerville will officiate and a brass band will furnish music at 2.

Saturday, June 14, the United Commercial Travelers of America will hold the annual memorial service. Haley G. Harris in charge of arrangements, 1:30 p.m.

At 3 p.m. June 14, Douglas E. Hicks Post No. 7389, V.F.W., Westminster, sixth annual memorial service for Gold Star Mothers.

At 7:30 June 14, youth group of the Plymouth Congregational church, Belmont, candlelight service.

At 11 Sunday, June 15, special service sponsored by the First Parish church (Unitarian) of Lexington. Rev. Floyd Taylor officiating, choir from this church will lead the singing.

At 2 p.m., June 15, special service sponsored by Gloucester Memorial Presbyterian church of Boston. Rev. L. Barnwell Washington officiating and choir from this church leading the singing.

The vesper service at 4 p.m. June 15, will be sponsored by the New England Conference of the Augustana Lutheran church. Rev. Dr. O. Karl Olander and other clergy of Trinity Lutheran church officiating. Mendelssohn Singers, under the direction of Arvid C. Anderson give their tenth annual offering of music in the Cathedral.

### Dickinson Library Notes

At the library this past week we have had one of the traveling exhibits which have been assembled from the Ford Times collection. This exhibit, one of 23 units which comprise the collection, has been recently exhibited at the Talcott library of the Northfield School for Girls.

Painted by Charles Harper of West Virginia, the paintings are about 13 x 20 inches, are beautifully mounted, and to my mind at least, are representative of some of the best in modern art.

There are eleven paintings, all of them birds which have vanished from our American scene. They are the heath hen, the Labrador duck, the Carolina parquet, the passenger pigeon, the Eskimo curlew, the Everglade kite, the Trumpeter swan, the California condor, the whooping crane and the ivory-billed woodpecker.

We were sorry not to have the exhibit longer and hope we may be able to obtain it at some future time.

The trustees of the library held their regular monthly meeting at the library June 4. Some of the women who comprised the citizens committee for National Library week met with them to discuss plans for increasing the services of the library.

With the close of the elementary schools this week, there will be

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## News from Winchester

Mrs. Russell A. Bigelow, Correspondent

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Robert V. Beals, English teacher at Cole Trade school of Southbridge visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Bigelow and Kirk and Rebecca of Park street recently.

Harris E. Clark of Chattanooga, Tenn., southern salesman for Markem Machine Co., visited his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bigelow, Monday night.

Mrs. Walton Thompson left today to join her husband at their summer establishment, Bright Horizon Cottage, on Lake Winnipesaukee, Dockham Shore, Laconia, N.H. Their two sons, Brian and Bradley, are going to Camp Takodah for two weeks.

Miss Nancy Nash is home for the summer from the University of Connecticut.

Steve Seroka, Robert Jones, Leon Pelky and Lynn Thompson attended the baseball game between the Boston Red Sox and the White Sox at Boston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Whipple are proud parents of a daughter born June 6 at Brattleboro Memorial hospital.

Miss Ruth Kellom attended alumni weekend at Syracuse university and also visited friends.

### Church Notes

#### FEDERATED CHURCH

REV. EDGAR FLORY, Minister  
MRS. FRANKLIN KELLOM, Organist  
MRS. EDGAR FLORY, Superintendent of Kindergarten and Primary

Sunday School  
CENTER CHURCH

MRS. GUY JOHNSON,  
Superintendent of Junior High  
High Sunday School

Sunday worship service was conducted at Center church by children of the church school in observance of Children's Sunday. "The Life of Jesus" in three acts was presented by the children. The first act was on the birth of Jesus, portrayed by the kindergarten children and singing by the primary department.

Jesus' boyhood was dramatized by the primary department. His ministry was dramatized by members of the junior-junior high department. The sacrament of baptism was received by Patricia Ann Farnum, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Farnum; Janice Ann and David Arthur, children of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hull, and Lori Ann Reed, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed of Jamaica, Vt.

Bibles were presented by Rev. Edgar Flory to thirteen pupils who were promoted from the primary third grade to the junior department. Herbert Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesson Taylor, was given recognition for eight years perfect attendance in church school.

The junior choir sang, accompanied by Jeralyn Jones and Judy Jackson and Mrs. Carrie Putnam at the piano and Mrs. Stephen Johnson at the organ.

All school children were presented geraniums by the Evening Circle. Members of the church

The marriage of Bernard S. Zwolinski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Zwolinski of North Main street, to Miss Susan Onn Doris Carigan, daughter of Mrs. Ida M. Carigan, will take place June 21 at 11 a.m. at St. Charles church, Dover, N.H. Mr. Zwolinski graduates from the University of New Hampshire this month.

Stephen Pond had a tonsillectomy at the Elliot Community hospital in Keene, N.H. Master Pond is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pond of Old Westport road.

Mrs. Hollis Cleveland and Mrs. John Lepanes of Orange, Mass., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Dick of Old Westport road.

Keene high school teacher Charles Tousley recently showed color slides of his trip to Hawaii to three guests and 14 members of the Sunny Valley club at Leroy Carpenter's home on Manning Hill road. Substituting as secretary for Mrs. Hester Oliver, was Mrs. Florence Costello. A donation to the Cancer fund and meeting dates of the PTA community calendar were voted by the members. The next meeting will include a picnic at Musterfield Park, Richmond street, July 7.

Mrs. Frank Amarosa, Jr., recently underwent a bone transfer operation at Boston Eye and Ear Infirmary. While his wife is recuperating, Mr. Amarosa is staying with relatives in Lexington.

VFW Auxiliary members voted to donate a suit to the Pony league baseball team recently at the VFW home. It also voted to enter a float in the Old Home Day parade Aug. 17. Substituting for Mrs. Theresa Tacy was Mrs. Arlene Stephens who presided. Other vacant chairs were filled by Mrs. Rana Polaski and Mrs. Neille Smith. Mrs. Margaret McNamara, Mrs. Cherolyn Byrne, Mrs. Margaret O'Connor and Mrs. Mary Barden. It was mentioned Mrs. Angeline Morris was sent flowers and a get-well card and Herman Skinner was sent a sympathy card. Mrs. Stephens received the mystery package donated by Mrs. O'Connor. Mrs. C. Byrne will be the chairman of the next food sale July 12.

Lucie Thompson and Claudia Gould gave Sharon Lee Stempkowski a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Warwick road, cele-

school staff assisting with the program were Mrs. Vergelin Wood, Mrs. Virginia Hill, Mrs. Richard Stetson and Mrs. Shirley Lawrence, kindergarten; Mrs. Beryl Flory, Miss Judith Miner, Mrs. Nina Smith, Mrs. Doris Wheeler, Misses Rita and Joyce Croumie and Mrs. Priscilla Nelson, primary department; Miss Judith Croumie, Mrs. Elsie Johnson, Miss Alberta Taft, Mrs. Thelma Gomarla, Miss Martha Hoyt, Mrs. Gladys Anderson and George Lawrence, junior-junior high department; Mrs. Carrie Putnam and Mrs. Margaret Nash, directors of music in kindergarten and primary departments, and Mrs. Mary Johnson, director, and Miss Jane Thompson, assistant director of the junior choir.

Church services will be conducted at the Center church Sunday at 10 a.m. No church school during the summer.

#### ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

REV. JOHN E. PITTS, Pastor  
EDWARD J. ZALEWSKI, Curate  
7:45 a.m., Daily Mass.  
8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass.  
10 a.m. Sunday Mass.

brating her 15th birthday with 18 other classmates present. Dancing and outdoor games were played. Included in refreshments was a cake decorated by Miss Gould.

Starting June 15 the regular services of the Federated church will be conducted at 10 at the Center church.

The gold-headed cane is waiting to be claimed by the oldest Winchester resident. Eligible folks are

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### Float Parade Planned for "Old Home Day"

The Ellen Lambert Murphy Memorial Community Center is planning an "Old Home Day" celebration for Sunday, Aug. 17, 1958. We would like to invite you to participate in the parade with a float, marching group or some other type of parade entry. We are offering two prizes for floats: \$25 first place, \$10 second place. Other entries will be eligible for a \$15 first prize only. Entries will be judged on: first, originality; second, beauty. The theme for the entries will be "Progress." Please notify Gale Alexander, Community Center, if you intend to participate. The program is under the sponsorship of the Community Center trustees. The tentative program is as follows:

2 p.m., parade, bands that have been invited. (Others are welcome.) Thayer high school band, Fort Devens army band, Westover Air Force band; 3 p.m., field games and contests for everyone; 4:30 p.m., band concerts by guest bands; 6 p.m., the Shooting Linds, trick shot artists with a full hour program.

### Thayer H.S. Holds Annual Field Day

The Thayer high school entire student body participated in the annual field day exercises at the school grounds June 5. It was required of each student to enter at least two activities. Senior high group winners were: Barbara Strange and Edward Hildreth, high jump; Barbara Strange and Luther Nelson, broad jump; Carolyn Holm and Luther Nelson, 100-yard dash; Robert Kennedy and Richard Durkee, sack race; Lorraine Rice and Luther Nelson, softball and baseball throw. Stanley Dominic and William Stempkowski, as a team, won the wheelbarrow race. Terry Lawrence and Robert Hildreth, as a team, won the three-legged race for boys and Judy Lawrence and Carolyn Holm for girls. Junior high winners and second place winners were Robert Byrne and Charles Croumie, boys' high jump; Sylvia Willey and Ruth Jantti, girls' high jump; Louis St. John and Marie Lancey, broad jump, Dana Caldwell and Clarence Fosdick, boys' 100-yard dash; Jean Nadeau and Jeralyn Jones, girls' 100-yard dash; Donna Baker and Gloria Tacy, softball throw; Dana Caldwell and Jack Stephens, sack race for boys, and Ruth Jantti and Donna Baker, girls' sack race, and Charles Hodgman and Robert Byrne, baseball throw. Phillip Howe and Dana Caldwell, as a team, won the wheelbarrow race and second went to Jerry Croumie and Jack Stephens.

There will be a flag dedication ceremony June 14 at 10 a.m. at the Community Center to be conducted by members of the VFW Post 3968. The Thayer high school band will provide the music. The flag is being donated by Louis Blieck of Warwick road to be dedicated to the playground children. Originally the flag came from a U.S. submarine that saw service in World War II.

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## Sports Awards and Sport Film Featured at Community Center

There was a first all sports buffet dinner and program at the Ellen Lambert Murphy Memorial Community Center June 7th. We wish to thank everyone who attended and who made the dinner a success. Special thanks go to Kulick's Market, the Maplewood Farm, Wheeler and Taylor Dairy and Maple Farms Dairy. Thanks also go to these organizations and businesses for their support of the pony league in purchasing uniforms: Lawrence Leather Co., Lou's Texaco Service, Earl's Esso Service, Smith's Specialty Shop, VFW Post 3968, VFW Auxiliary, Putnam's Tree Farm, Winchester National Bank, American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Ashuelot-Winchester Catholic Society and Yankee Phtoto Service.

1957 table tennis champion singles award went to Albert Aldo. 1957 shuffleboard champions doubles award went to David Lawrence and Frank Pelkey.

Winchester junior sportsmen consisting of 18 members received 49 awards throughout the year.

Bowling awards were made by Wesson Taylor, Sr., president of board of trustees of Community Center: 1957 bowling awards for the girls' club were as follows: high string, 90, Penny Putnam; high average, 74, Judy Miner; junior high boys' club awards: high string, 96, Herbert Taylor; high average, 94, Randy Durkee; high school boys' league: champion team, "Burns," Richard Baker, captain, Frank Pelkey, Edmund

Hildreth, Charlie Lang and Howard Judd. Runner-up was the team, "Gay 90," Albert Aldo, captain, Franklin Willard, Jr., Stanley Caban and Eugene Taylor; high string, 138, Robert Hildreth; high average, 99, Richard Baker.

Intertown little league champion awards were made by Paul Smith, league director from Greenfield, to team members: Robert Byrne, Ronald Monroe, Ronald Tacy, Herbert Taylor, Louis Hodgman, Charles Hodgman, Larry Barrett, Jr., Gary Beaman, Gerry Croumie, Harold "Moe" Secord, Stanley "Butch" Plifka and to the coach, Wilfred "Boe" Sortwell. A sports movie ended the program.

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## Pioneer Regional High News

Our school life is very busy and there are many last minute events taking place in these last few weeks of school. We shall be coming to school next week without the company of the seniors because they will be graduating tomorrow night.

Twenty-six seniors will be graduated from Pioneer Valley Regional school Friday at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium as climax of its first commencement week.

Honor essayists will be Cora

Jane Hurlburt and John Peak Morgan. Miss Hurlburt and Charlotte Elizabeth Marcotte, class treasurer, will be graduated with highest honors. All three are from Bernardston.

Graduating with high honor will be Morgan, Nancy Coates of Bernardston, class secretary, and Harry White of Northfield, class president.

Rev. Carvis Tutor of the Bernardston Baptist church will give the invocation and Rev. Henry McKeon of St. Patrick's church the benediction.

Speaker will be Rev. Thomas S. Roy, D.D., former pastor of the First Baptist church of Worcester, who will discuss "Alternative Educations."

Supt. F. Sumner Turner will award diplomas, and Prin. George Leonard will make special awards.

The Glee club will render "The Lord's Prayer," by Malotte with Jessica Walker soloist, "The Happy Wanderer," David Barnes soloist, and "My God and I" by Sergel Pres. White will welcome those attending.

Morgan's honor essay will be on "Education in America and Europe," and Miss Hurlburt's on "American Teenagers, 1958." The class song, with words by Miss Hurlburt and Judy Shippa, will be sung.

Other graduates will be David W. Streeter, vice president; Byron W. Beckwith, David R. W. Billings, David L. Britton, Julia L. Cram, James E. Dresser, Jr., John

## News from Winchester

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urged to contact the selectmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Borge of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeBlanc and family of Woodstock, Vt., and Miss Nancy Kline of Beaumont, Tex., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amarosa and family.

The Ashuelot-Winchester Catholic society recently had a family cookout supper at the Dallam-Chandler home on the Keene road, which was attended by 30 people. This represented the final meeting until fall. Following the supper, Mrs. Ann Chandler, president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne reported the number of sick cards sent out. Mrs. Lucy Lorando received the mystery package donated by Mrs. Helen Sederstrom.

Mrs. Edith Atkins' piano class relatives and friends at a program gave a recital to about 60 parents, following a meeting of Miriam Rebekah lodge recently at IOOF hall. Cheryl Rich opened the program

A. Fleming, Carol M. Gerrish, Theodore L. Gibson, Stephanie Horton, Sherwood F. Lenois, Jerome J. Lessard, Nancy L. Oakman, Eleanor J. Powers, Russell E. Reed, Irving B. Seager, Judith A. Shippa, Audrey A. Smith, Ellen M. Sullivan, John H. Thayer and Alice J. Williams.

Class marshals will be Lewis Starkay and Carol Turner. Miss Dorothy Eccles and Daniel Fallon will be accompanists.

During the past week the seniors have been having their final examinations and their standard tests and starting on Monday all the underclassmen will commence their standard tests. The teachers hope to have all tests graded by the time that school closes on Friday, the 20th, of June.

Tomorrow morning at 8:45 a.m. two girls from our school will leave to attend Girls' State from June 13-20. Rebecca Jackson was chosen from Bernardston and Dorothy Given was chosen from Northfield. They will attend Girls' State at Bridgewater State Teachers college, Bridgewater. This is sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary. They will learn by taking part in state government.

The yearbook will be here soon. There have been over 100 books sold so far. Those taking money for orders are: Rebecca Jackson for room 30, Marianne Smith for room 34, Dorothy Given for room 32, Chester Kugler for room 38, Jesse Skinner for room 52, Linda Streeter for room 36, Marcia Billings for room 71, Shirley Johnson for room 73, Lois Heselton for room 10, Judie Rice for room 12, Betsy Glazier for room 14, Sally Sheldon for room 16, Peggy Streeter and Richard Leach are in charge of over-all sales, plus the outside sales. Those who want to buy one should contact one of these two. The cost is \$2 a book.

Members of the band enjoyed a picnic held yesterday afternoon at George Day's camp at Laurel Lake in Warwick. Mr. and Mrs. Gancarz accompanied the group. Games and swimming were enjoyed. Hotdogs and hamburgers were devoured by the hungry group.

As a result of the supper that was put on for the Franklin County Selectmen's association meeting last Thursday evening, a committee of mothers of band members has turned over the sum of \$120.12 for band uniforms. The band feels indebted to these parents for their efforts and thanks them sincerely for this welcomed gift.

with a selection of Lake's "Music in My Fingers." Others participating were Marcia Ryall, Lucie Thompson, Cynthia Gomarla, Opal and Orilla Shine, Bette Jackson, Barry Rose Krusiewski, Carolyn Tacy, Doris Thompson, Janice Osaki, Rosalie Wood, Lorraine Schimke and Diana Lyn Roy. The reception for Elizabeth Grouch president of the New Hampshire Rebekah assembly, and her marshal, Mrs. Doris Laurence, in Milford was announced. Visiting officers night in Keene June 13, when Mrs. Atkins was visiting treasurer, was also announced. The June 1 invitation to Hinsdale was accepted. June 18 Hinsdale will bring the emblem to Winchester and June 27 Winchester will take it to Keene.

Miss Betty Joslyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Joslyn, has returned to her home from being a surgical patient at Elliot Community hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Gloeckler of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gloeckler of Parker street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan McLeod have returned from a trip to French Lick, Indiana. Mr. McLeod attended the Life Insurance Seminar of United Benefit Life Insurance of Omaha, Nebraska.

Mrs. George Murphy and children, Pamela Lisa and George, Jr., of Springfield, Mass., recently visited her folk and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McLeod of Elm street.

Franklin Willard, Jr., Eugene Taylor and Alan McLeod, Jr., were installed as preceptors of the Keene chapter Order of DeMolay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gomarla of Main street recently celebrated their 11th wedding anniversary dining at Bill's Restaurant in Greenfield with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sarsfield of Hinsdale. M/Sgt. Stanley Kulas and family, Alexander 16, Patricia 12, Stanley, Jr., 9, are visiting Mrs. Kulas' sister and brother, Josephine and John Solasz, on Burt Hill. They have been living at Wheelus Air Force Base, Tripoli, Libya, North Africa, where M/Sgt. Kulas served 30 months. He is going to be stationed at Westover Air Force Base. Mrs. Kulas is the former Frances Solasz.

There will be a novelty party at Winchester town hall Saturday, June 14, at 7:30 p.m., sponsored by the St. Stanislaus building fund.

There will be a Polish picnic at Musterfield Park Sunday, June 15, starting at 12 noon, rain or shine. Featured will be Polish food, music and dancing, free admission, public welcome, benefit of St. Stanislaus building fund.

Richard Sederstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sederstrom of Mechanic street, graduated from Keene Teachers college June 7.

Paul McNamara, principal of Thayer high school, received his Master's degree at Keene Teachers college June 7.

The Sunday school children of the Federated church had a picnic at Camp Takodah Monday. Many of the parents accompanied their children, over 100 people attending.

Members of the junior class of Thayer high school gave the graduating class a farewell party at the school. The entertainment was mock TV shows. Dancing and refreshments concluded the program. The committees consisted of Irene Powers, Franklin Willard, Jr., Delores Soñoski and Nancy Grenada on the entertainment, Nancy Willett, Royce Peiky and Susan McLeod, refreshments; and Stanley Caban, Patricia Rock, Royce Peiky and James Polaski.

## SCHOOL NOTES

Mrs. Charlotte B. Holt of Keene will teach the overflow third and fourth graders at the Community Center. Having several years of teaching experience, she is now pursuing her studies at Keene Teachers college. Mrs. Julianne A.

decoration. The room was decorated with blue and white streamers and balloons. Members of the faculty and husbands and wives were guests.

The Junior and Senior Sunbeam 4-H clubs met with their leader, Mrs. Gladys Holton, last week. A project meeting was conducted by the juniors and a business and project meeting was conducted by the seniors. It was planned to hold a dress revue for Arlington Grange during August. Members went to the Cathedral of the Pines, Rindge, Sunday. This was the last meeting until fall.

Gale Alexander, recreational director at the Community Center, instructed 25 members of the Brownie Troop in bowling. They also practiced tap dancing and songs with Mrs. Virginia Hill and Mrs. Shirley Mitchell. Seven dollars worth of defense stamps were purchased. Mrs. Nine Smith, Miss Donna DeTour and Mrs. Thelma Thayer were leaders present.

The Winchester Kiwanis club was entertained at the Ashuelot Hotel recently by Atty. Homer Bradley of Keene. Atty. Bradley emphasized how important a will is, especially the wording of it. He also spoke on settling estates. A person having a will should check it periodically and make the necessary changes. Three witnesses are required by New Hampshire law at the time the will is drawn up. It is advisable to have young witnesses, if the will is contested as they are more apt to be living.

Question and answer sessions followed, in many cases, when wills were not made. The meeting was opened by Paul Chamberlin and was later presided by Dwight Holton. Clarence Cook was in charge of invocation and Roland O'Neal and Franklin P. Kellom were in charge of the music. Paul Chamberlin and Arthur Harris' birthdays were noted. The next meeting was announced to be a round table discussion at the hotel. A directors' meeting was recently held.

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Hooper of Keene will replace Mrs. Frank Gline as first grade teacher. Mrs. Hooper was formerly a teacher at Center school and the Barber district school. She is pursuing her studies at Keene Teachers college. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gline, Jr., of Mechanic street are planning to move after school closes. Miss Eunice A. Marden of Reading, Mass., is a graduate of Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, O., Miss Marsden will replace George W. Garland. Laurence A. Ouellette of Ludlow, Mass., former graduate of American International College, Springfield, Mass., will teach commercial subjects. Mrs. Mary P. Reed of Keene will teach the overflow first and second grades at the Community Center. She is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and is pursuing her studies at Keene Teachers college. Mrs. Reed replaces Mrs. Eleanor Graham, who has accepted a teaching position elsewhere. Roland W. Warner of West Swanzey, is a Keene Teachers college graduate and teacher at the Cutler School in West Swanzey, N. H., will be an additional social studies teacher at the Thayer high school.

Pupils must be six years of age on or before Dec. 31, 1958 and must produce evidence of vaccination by the opening day of school.

The Winchester schools close Friday, June 13, and will resume classes Sept. 3.

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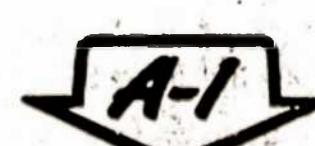
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